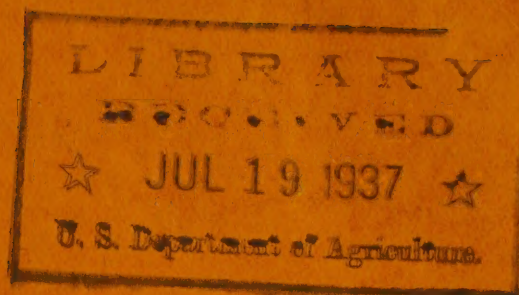


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RUMSEYS HONEST SEEDS

GREETING 1937

LAST year we made an announcement to the effect that our business method of selling only by mail order was to be varied, by the opening of a branch shop in Parramatta. We are pleased to be able to announce now that this movement was a pronounced success from the commencement. The thousands of home and market gardeners in the central Cumberland area rallied around us at their own shopping centre.

The success of the Parramatta business as a branch, however, has led to a more important change. We decided to move the mail order department and head office and to concentrate at Parramatta. We took the opportunity of securing the lease of a larger shop with first floor office accommodation and a basement store, at 219 Church St., next door to our first shop and are now established ready to supply "Rumseys Honest Seeds" as we have done during the last 42 years.

In addition to the need of something better in seeds we have always realised that our rainfall was not sufficient to give best results and for some years experimented in methods of applying water for gardens. In the Skinner System we found our ideal and made that available to all. Tens of thousands of gardeners have used it with success. For many years we carried on the work of installation and the supply of outfits and instruction for home fixing. For nearly 20 years this branch of our business was superintended by Mr. Joseph Rippon, one of our directors, but since his lamented death in 1936 we have had to make other arrangements as announced elsewhere.

We hope that with the return to prosperity and good prices for our primary products that the gardeners will have the good time they deserve.

For business convenience we have found it advisable to alter the name of this company known for the past 11 years as Herbert J. Rumsey & Sons Ltd.

RUMSEYS SEEDS PTY. LTD.

DIRECTORS :

Herbert J. Rumsey : Eric C. Rumsey : Roy H. Rumsey

SPECIAL PACKET DISCOUNT

When Cash Accompanies Order

Any Six 6d. pkts. selected from this Catalogue 2/9 post paid.
Any Twelve 6d. pkts. selected from this Catalogue 5/- post paid.
3d., 9d. and 1/- pkts. and all bulk prices are nett and this reduction does not apply.

Add extra for postage if Peas or Beans are ordered.

Novelties and Specialities

NEW AND RECENT INTRODUCTIONS AND VARIETIES
OF OUTSTANDING MERIT

TOMATO

Rutgers

Government Certified Seed. A new variety from the U.S.A. noted for its high colour and delicious flavour. Globe shaped, thick and fleshy. Scarlet fruited, ripening from inside first, when red outside it is coloured right through. Second early to main crop in maturing and recommended for trial on coast and tablelands. Pkt., 6d.; oz., 4/6; ¼ lb., 12/6.

WATERMELON

Wilt Resistant Thurmond Grey

There is no doubt that this is the melon which growers, in areas where wilt is prevalent, have been looking for.

Ideal market melon, oblong shape, light greenish-grey skin — seeds brownish black. Rich crimson flesh of fine quality. Matures a little earlier than Sugarstick. Pkt., 6d.; oz., 1/6; ¼ lb., 4/6; 1 lb., 12/6.

CUCUMBER

Straight "8"

Symmetrical almost cylindrical fruits, well rounded at both ends. Straight and eight inches in length under normal growing conditions. Skin deep green. Good market variety. Pkt., 6d.; oz., 1/6; ¼ lb., 4/6; 1 lb., 12/-.

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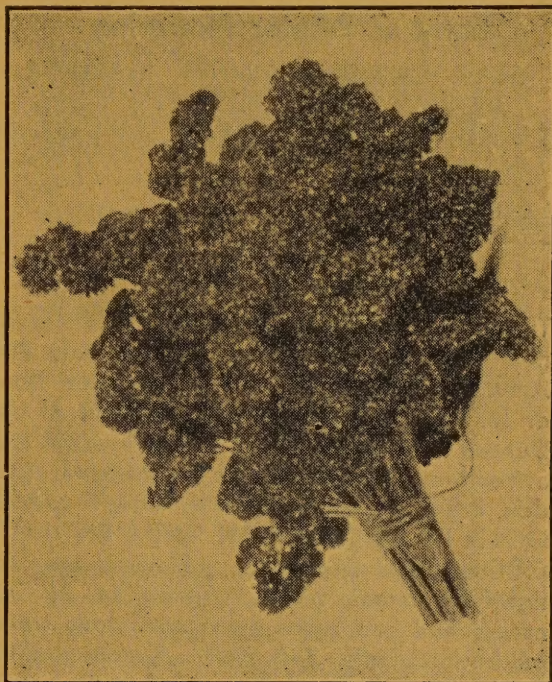
Kitchenette Hubbard

A small glossy green Hubbard growing to about 5 lbs. in weight. Equal in flavour and quality to ordinary Hubbard but matures 10 to 14 days earlier. Recommended for early market crops or home gardens. Pkt., 6d.; oz., 1/6; ¼ lb., 4/6; 1 lb., 12/6.

CELERY

Supreme Golden

An outstanding new strain of Golden Yellow Self-Blanching type producing compact cylindrical plants 22 to 27 inches tall according to soil and growing conditions. Edible stems broad and thick, 7 to 10 inches to first joint. The newer strains of high quality Celery are much superior and will eventually displace the coarser strains so popular in S.A. for many years. Pkt., 1/-; ¼ oz., 7/6; oz., 20/-.



PARSLEY PARAMOUNT

PARSLEY

Paramount

A new triple curled rich dark green parsley. Uniform. When thinned plants will grow 12 inches high and 20 inches across. Dense broad fronds and stout stems for bunching. Pkt., 6d.; oz., 1/-; ¼ lb., 2/-; 1 lb., 5/-.

POTATO

Katardin

A new potato of great promise for early coastal crops and also for main potato districts. Heavy cropper. Small quantity available this year for trial. 7 lbs., 1/6; 14 lbs., 2/6; 28 lbs., 4/6; 1 cwt., 16/-.

New Flower Seeds

SWEET PEAS

Early or Winter Flowering

STAR, EMBLEM, SONNET, MARINER,
FLORISTS' BLUE, FLORISTS' ROSE.

1/6 pkt. For full descriptions, see page 42.

MARIGOLD

Crown o' Gold

This is the novelty of the year. A distinctly new type and the winner of the only All-America Gold Medal for the best new flower for 1937. We have tried this out at our Dundas trial grounds and find it unusual and attractive. Flowers are a bright clear golden orange. THIS IS THE ONLY MARIGOLD IN CULTIVATION WITH ENTIRELY ODOURLESS FOLIAGE. Flowers are delightfully sweet scented; grow to 2½ ins. across and are carried on long stout stems on bushy plants, 2 ft. tall. Recommended for bedding and cut flowers. Sow in spring or early autumn. Pkt., 1/-; 1-16 oz., 4/6; 1-8 oz., 7/6.



CROWN O' GOLD

MARIGOLD (African)

Gigantea Sunset Giants

Blooms of enormous size on well branched plants 3 to 4 ft. high. Colours range from deep orange through varying shades of gold and lemon to primrose. Flowers practically free from objectionable marigold odour. About 60 per cent. double. Pkt., 1/-; 1-16 oz., 3/6; 1-8 oz., 5/6.

CELOSIA

Flame of Fire

Pyramidal plants branching out into candle-bra shape, each branch topped with a large almost round, fiery scarlet flower head of coral-like structure. Grow to 18 ins. Fine for cutting. Pkt., 1/-; 1-16 oz., 3/6.

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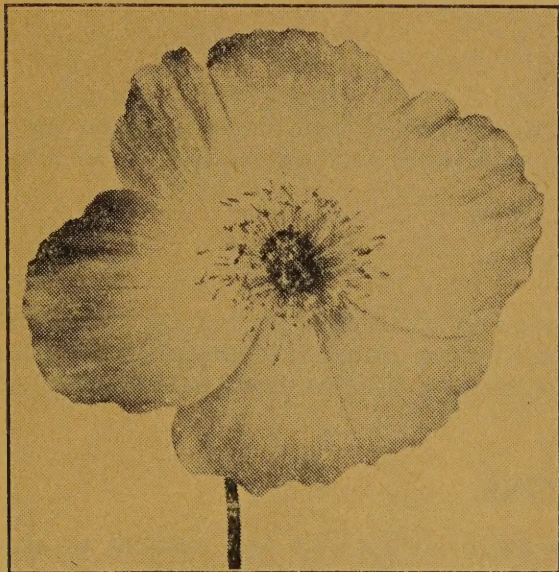
Criniflorum

A new species producing pretty blooms of delightful shades. Suitable for rock gardens and bedding. Pkt., 6d.; 1-8 oz., 3/6.

BEGONIA

Lightning

A new bedding Begonia of merit. Deep blood red buds, flowers opening deep carmine scarlet. Pkt., 1/-.



ICELAND POPPY

Yellow Wonder

Long stemmed vigorous growing pure buttercup yellow strain of this popular winter annual. New seed will be ready in December. Pkt., 1/-; 1-8 oz., 4/6; $\frac{1}{4}$ oz., 7/6.

NEMESIA

Fire King

Dwarf compact growing bedding variety of exceptional merit. Blooms are large and a bright scarlet crimson. Pkt., 1/-; 1-16 oz., 3/6; 1-8 oz., 6/-.

PANSY

Super Maple Leaf Mixed

This new strain of pansy is of exceptionally vigorous growth. Flowers are of large size, fine form and substance and cover a splendid range of colours and shades. Pkts., 2/6 and 5/-; 1-16 oz., 8/-.

PETUNIA

Giant Fringed Mixed

Petunia hybrida grandiflora fimbriata is the largest and best of the frilled Petunias. Wonderful range of colours. Edges of petals are fringed as well as ruffled. Pkts., 1/6, 2/6 and 5/-.

STOCK

Super Giant Imperial

A new group of Giant Imperial Stock bred and selected for florists' use. Plants are base branching, each producing 12 to 15 huge flower spikes. The individual florets are large. As is usual with our strains, a large percentage of doubles are produced. Pkt., 1/-; 1-16 oz., 4/-; 1-8 oz., 6/-; $\frac{1}{4}$ oz., 10/- each variety.

Roselight

Rose pink of delightful shade. Perhaps not deep enough for popular sale in Australia, but a small quantity should be included with commercial sowings.

Rose Charm

A beautiful rich deep rose and a colour which should sell well with florists.

Dark Blue

(Seed ready December). Another addition to this fine group. When in full bloom plants are 3 ft. high.

DOUBLE NASTURTIUM

Mahogany

Large, double sweet scented blooms of a deep mahogany red shade. It will be noticed that these change to a beautiful brown shade in cool weather. Pkt., 6d.; $\frac{1}{4}$ oz., 1/-; oz., 3/6.

Dwarf Globe Mixed

A colourful mixture of beautiful shades ranging from creamy white to yellow, rose, salmon, salmon-pink, orange, cerise, scarlet, blood red, crimson and mahogany. Plants are dwarf and compact, forming globe shaped bushes about 12 ins. high. Double and semi-double flowers produced freely on long stems suitable for cutting. Pkt., 6d.; oz., 1/6; $\frac{1}{4}$ lb., 4/6.



PETUNIA — GIANT FRINGED

IMPORTANT — PLEASE READ

PRICES

Prices given in this catalogue are those current when catalogue is made up for printing and we reserve the right to alter any of them without notice at any time that conditions should warrant such action.

SUPPLY

We cannot guarantee to supply all varieties and quantities as listed. Sometimes a variety will be sold out early in the season due to unusual demand or shortage of crop and occasionally we have to withdraw certain stocks from sale due to sudden falling off of viability.

QUOTATIONS

Written or verbal quotations are for immediate acceptance and subject to stock remaining unsold when order is received.

DESCRIPTIONS

Descriptions given in this catalogue are of the type plants from which seed crops have been grown and are intended to serve as a guide only to buyers. Under certain conditions of soil and climate considerable variation may occur with certain strains, particularly in respect to size, maturity and productiveness.

Where we have found any tendency to variation under any definite set of conditions or areas we have indicated it.

"Rumseys' Honest Seeds" are tested for germination and vitality under soil conditions and trial grounds are maintained for testing new strains and trueness to type of existing varieties.

The use of modern equipment is a further protection for users of "Rumseys' Honest Seeds." We can test quickly and effectively all seed as it comes into stock, and at various times throughout the year.

Although at time of sale our seeds comply fully with the provisions of the Agricultural Seeds Act, 1921 (N.S.W.), there are certain things beyond our control which may affect growth. Therefore, for our protection against unscrupulous persons, all goods are sold subject to the following conditions:

CONDITIONS OF SALE

We believe that all Seeds, Bulbs, and Roots sold by us are of the description and kind specified by us at the time of sale, but owing to the practical impossibility in many cases of being certain of this, we give no understanding that such Seeds, Bulbs, or Roots will correspond with the description under which they are sold, and we make all sales subject to this condition. We further give no warranty, express or implied, as to their growth, description, quality, or productiveness, and will not be in any way responsible for the crop. If the purchaser does not accept the goods sold to him on these terms they are at once to be returned to us.

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Seeds By Mail & Rail

TERMS OF BUSINESS

The terms on which our prices are based are cash with order. For the convenience of customers we also use the Post Office and Railway "Cash on delivery" systems, which is a little more costly than postal notes, but includes registration. For full particulars see Page 7. Plants are not sent "Cash on delivery" by post. For cash we accept Commonwealth Bank notes in registered letters, Australian postal notes and money orders. For larger amounts, cheques or bank drafts should be used. Money orders and Postal notes should be made payable at Parramatta. Please add 6d. to country, Melbourne and Brisbane cheques, and 1/- to other interstate cheques for collection charges made by the banks.

POSTAGE AND FREIGHT

We pay postage on freight on vegetable and flower seeds except where stated and will always despatch the cheapest way. If customers require goods despatched in other than cheapest way sufficient should be remitted to cover extra charges.

Peas, beans, farm and grass seeds, sprays, dusts, plants and sundries are all carriage extra.

SUBSTITUTING

Sometimes owing to crop failures or shortage of stock we sell out of some varieties early in the season. In such cases we substitute the nearest variety, and send to save disappointment, but in no case do we expect you to keep the substituted article if you do not wish to do so. If you put "do not substitute" we omit the variety, and return the balance. If you return the substituted seed we give you credit for the amount.

REGISTRATION

The safety of parcels can be assured by the payment of a small registration fee of three pence for amounts up to £2, four pence to £5, six pence to £10, which should be added to amount of remittance, and especially noted on order.

PROMPTNESS

As our first principle is promptness, it is advisable to inform us if your order does not come to hand or is not acknowledged within a reasonable time.

VISITORS

We are always pleased for visitors to call during business hours (9 a.m. to 5.30 p.m. week-days, 9 a.m. to 12.30 p.m. Saturdays) to discuss their gardening problems. Easter is a popular time with country people visiting Sydney.

NO AGENTS

We have no agents for seeds or plants in any part of Australia. However, we welcome enquiries from seedsmen for wholesale quotations in bulk quantities for resale in their own packets.

SHIPPING INSTRUCTIONS

Vegetable and flower seeds are carriage paid at prices quoted, unless mentioned otherwise. Trees, plants, farm seeds and sundries are carriage extra, and extra money must be remitted with order to cover freight or postage.

Rates are as follows: (Allow 1-lb. extra to cover cost of packing when assessing charges).

PARCELS POST

Scale 1 applies to parcels addressed to: Places within a 30-mile radius of Dundas.

Scale 2 applies to parcels addressed to: (a) Places in New South Wales, outside the 30-mile radius of Dundas.
(b) The Federal Capital Territory.
(c) Lord Howe Island and Norfolk Island.

Scale 3 applies to parcels addressed to: Victoria, Queensland, Tasmania, New Zealand and Fiji.

Scale 4 applies to parcels addressed to: South Australia, Western Australia, North Australia, Central Australia, Papua, and the Territory of New Guinea.

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RAIL (Passenger Train Parcels)

For all parcels over 1-lb. sent to rail towns in N.S.W. this method is much cheaper. For seeds, plants, and small lots of trees it is most efficient. Customers convenient to railway stations are asked to mention nearest station when ordering. Strawberry plants and Privet hedge seedlings are charged half rates by passenger train.

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RAIL (Goods Train)

This is most suitable for bulk seeds, potatoes, fertilisers, etc. Rates are the same whether prepaid or paid on delivery. Of course, where sidings are unattended prepayment is necessary and freight must be remitted with order.

C.O.D. (Cash on Delivery) SYSTEMS

WE CANNOT SEND PLANTS C.O.D. BY POST

Postal parcels over 1-lb. may be sent and paid for at your post office. For this service the postal department charges for collection 9d. up to 10/-, 1/- up to £1, 1/3 up to 30/-, 1/6 up to £2, and 3d. for each additional £1 or part thereof. Expensive for orders under 10/-.

Passenger Train Parcels—May be sent C.O.D. to any attended platform in N.S.W. Charges are 4d. per £, with a minimum of 6d., plus ordinary passenger train freight.

Sowing Calender for Vegetables

For County of Cumberland and similar climates. Gardeners in Mountain, Inland, Semi-Tropical and Tropical climates must make allowance for variation of their climatic conditions.

For further particulars see

"THE NEW A.B.C. OF AUSTRALIAN VEGETABLE GROWING"
by Herbert J. Rumsey. 2/1 post paid.

JANUARY

Green and butter French Beans, beet, spinach beet, cabbage, cauliflower, cucumber, leek, lettuce (where to grow), parsley, parsnip, radish and early maturing tomatoes for late crop.

Transplant celery and tomato plants.

FEBRUARY

French beans may still be sown in warm situations, beet, spinach beet, cabbage, carrots, cauliflower, celery, leek, lettuce, onion, radish, parsnip, turnip, Swede and winter rhubarb.

Plant out cabbage, cauliflower, celery and late tomatoes.

MARCH

Broad beans, borecole, beet, cabbage, cauliflower, celery, lettuce, broccoli, Kohl-rabi, leek, pea, radish, carrot, parsnip, herbs, spinach beet, spinach (true) turnip & Swede, mustard, cress & onion.

Plant out spinach beet, lettuce, cabbage, cauliflower and celery.

APRIL

Broad bean, beet, spinach beet, cabbage, carrot, leek, lettuce, onion, parsley, parsnip, pea, radish, spinach, turnip, herbs, mustard, cress, kohl-rabi, endive and Chinese cabbage.

Plant eschallots, winter rhubarb, garlic, cabbage, cauliflower, herbs, celery, onion, lettuce and spinach beet.

MAY

Broad bean, beet, spinach beet, carrot, lettuce, leek, onion, parsley, herbs, pea, endive, kohl-rabi, early cabbage, mustard, early tomatoes under cover.

Plant eschallots, garlic, herbs, cabbage, rhubarb, leek, lettuce, onion and spinach beet.

JUNE

Broad bean, early cabbage, leek, pea, herbs, spinach beet, endive, lettuce, onion (late crop), mustard, radish and parsley. Tomatoes under cover.

Plant first crop potatoes in frost-free situations, eschallots, cabbage, onion, asparagus, herbs, leek, rhubarb and spinach beet.

JULY

Asparagus, spinach beet, early cabbage, carrot, small sowing parsnip, lettuce, onion, radish, tomatoes and egg plant (under cover), turnip, pea and rhubarb.

Plant potatoes, except low-lying frosty places, asparagus, Jerusalem artichokes, choko, cabbage, leek, lettuce, onion, spinach beet, herbs and summer rhubarb.

AUGUST

Asparagus, beet, spinach beet, French bean (about the end of month on higher ground), carrot, lettuce, marrow, cucumber, rock melon and squash in pots in sheltered position for transplanting, tomato and egg plant in warm sheltered bed, parsnip, leek, onion, pea, parsley, mustard, turnip.

Plant asparagus, potatoes, choko, spinach beet, cabbage, lettuce, onion and tomato under cover or in open in frost-free situation.

SEPTEMBER

All kinds of French beans, asparagus, beet, spinach beet, cape gooseberry, capsicum (pepper), carrot, celery, cucumbers, egg plant, lettuce, melons, parsley, parsnip, marrow, pumpkin and squash, pea (quick maturing kinds), peanut, radish, sweet corn, tomato and turnip.

Plant potatoes, tomato, egg plant, cabbage, sweet potato, leek, choko, spinach beet and onion.

OCTOBER

All beans except broad beans, beet, spinach beet, carrot, cucumber, cape gooseberry, egg plant, lettuce (where to grow), marrow, pumpkin, squash, radish, peanut, sweet corn, turnip, tomato and pepper.

Plant tomato, egg plant, cape gooseberry, sweet potato.

NOVEMBER

All kinds of beans except broad, beet, spinach beet, marrow, pumpkin, squash, tomato, cucumber, lettuce (where to grow), egg plant, pepper, cape gooseberry, peanut, radish, turnip, sweet corn and rock melons.

Plant tomato, sweet potato, egg plant, cape gooseberry.

DECEMBER

French beans (dwarf, runner and wax), beet, cabbage, celery (under shade), cucumber, radish, lettuce (where to grow), marrow, pumpkin, squash, cape gooseberry, cauliflower, tomato, sweet corn and turnip.

Plant out tomatoes, sweet potato, cape gooseberry, egg plant, and pepper.

BEANS and PEAS

FOR MARKET AND HOME GARDENS.

FREIGHT OR POSTAGE EXTRA. See Page 7.

We take the greatest care in selecting seed crops of these important lines. Ask for current price list for larger quantities as prices vary considerably throughout the year.

BUSH FRENCH BEANS

BROWN BEAUTY.—● Most outstanding as regards earliness, yield and freedom from disease and we believe it will become popular as an early spring market bean. Produces long straight pods not quite so broad as Canadian Wonder. Pkt. 6d. (post paid 8d.); 1 lb., 2/-.

BURPEE'S STRINGLESS GREEN POD
Tender, straight, fleshy pods, two weeks earlier than Canadians. The best home garden dwarf french. Pkt., 6d. (post paid 8d.); 1 lb., 1/9.

NEW DISCOVERY.—May be classed as an improved Feltham's Prolific. Also known as Wonderful. Dwarf, early heavy cropping variety. Pkt., 6d. (post paid, 8d.); 1 lb., 2/6.

CANADIAN WONDER.—Popular market bean, very hardy. Pkt., 6d. (post paid, 8d.); 1 lb., 1/9.

RUMSEY CANADIAN.—A special stock of Canadian Wonder selected for length of pod, crop and freedom from disease. Pkt., 6d. (post paid, 8d.); 1 lb., 2/6.

FELTHAM'S PROLIFIC.—A hardy variety showing some resistance to Halo Blight. Pods rather short. Pkt., 6d. (post paid, 8d.); 1 lb., 2/-.

TWEED WONDER.—● In many districts during the last few seasons our stock seed of Tweed Wonder was the only bean that produced a commercial crop. In some localities beans died out all around it, but Tweed Wonder gave a crop. The seed has been saved from crops showing very little Bacterial blight. Pkt., 6d. (post paid, 8d.); 1 lb., 2/-.

EMPEROR WILLIAM.—Broad pods, tender; good for cool districts. Pkt., 6d. (post paid, 8d.); 1 lb., 2/-.

BOUNTIFUL.—A very good early bean. Pods brittle and stringless. One of the best all-round beans in cultivation. Pkt., 6d. (post paid, 8d.); 1 lb., 1/9.

BLUE WONDER.—A blue podded bean which has given good results in some of the drier districts. Pkt., 6d. (post paid, 8d.); 1 lb., 2/-.

BUSH BUTTER BEANS

Pkt., 6d. (post paid, 8d.); 1 lb., 2/-.

STARTLER WAX.—Crops heavily, bearing large, round, fleshy, stringless beans of fine flavour.

BRITTLE WAX.—● Best of all the wax or butter beans. Beans round and fleshy, stringless and tender. The beans retain their yellow colour when cooked, super-fine flavour.

CLIMBING FRENCH BEANS

Pkt., 6d. (post paid, 8d.); 1 lb., 2/-; except where stated.

RUMSEY'S GIANT ROUND POD.—● Known also as Kentucky Wonder. Free - growing, prolific, deliciously flavoured.

EPICURE.—● A flat bean, enormous cropper, and delicious cooked.

CLIMBING STRINGLESS GREEN-POD
—● Uniformly straight pods, 6 to 8 inches in length, rich green, and very meaty, entirely stringless. Sometimes called White Seeded Kentucky Wonder.

SCARLET RUNNER (Improved).—Bears enormous pods, 12 to 18 inches long. Only suitable for cool districts.

YARD LONG OR SNAKE.—Fleshy beans 18 to 20 inches long. Pkt., 6d.; 1 lb., 2/- Post paid.

BEANS AND PEAS—(Continued)

Freight Extra. See Page 7.

DRYING BEAN

IMPROVED WHITE NAVY.—The best of all beans for baked bean industry. Resistant to rust and black spot. Pkt., 6d. (post paid, 8d.); 1 lb., 2/9.

CLIMBING BUTTER or WAX

GOLDEN CLUSTER.—● A most popular climbing butter bean. Pkt., 6d. (post paid, 8d.); 1 lb., 2/6.

BROAD BEANS

Sow in autumn and early winter. Pkt., 6d. (post paid, 9d.); 1 lb., 1/-.

EARLY LONG POD.—Our trials over many years have shown this variety to be best suited to N.S.W. conditions generally.

PERENNIAL CLIMBING BEAN

TONGAN BEAN.—Pkt., 6d. Black seeds; runs 20 to 30 feet, broad, tender pods, stringless. Perennial only in coastal districts.

CLIMBING LIMA BEAN

BURPEES GIANT PODDED.—● Pkt., 6d. (post paid, 9d.); 1 lb., 2/6; freight extra. Early, prolific, handsome, of delicious flavour.

BUSH LIMA BEANS

FORDHOOK BUSH.—● Beans are rather thicker and larger than any other sort; great croppers. Pkt., 6d. (post paid 9d.); 1 lb., 2/6; 5 lbs., 10/-, freight extra.

SUGAR PEAS

TALL.—Require staking like beans. The pods are cooked whole. Pkt., 6d. (post paid, 9d.); 1 lb., 2/-.

WINGED ASPARAGUS PEA.—A most prolific pea, delicious when cooked like beans. When ripe, shelled seeds make a rich vegetable jelly. Pkt., 6d.; 1 lb., 3/-; post paid.

PEA

In the coastal and warmer climates peas are best treated as a winter crop, sown in Autumn. In the cooler and mountain climates spring sowing is best.

EMPEROR.—A pure line strain of Greenfeast, selected for robust growth and heavy yield. Preferable to Greenfeast for canning because of brighter green seeds. Pkt., 6d. (post paid, 9d.); 1 lb., 1/6.

W. F. MASSEY.—● 18 inches. A new extra early pea of exceptional merit. Ready three weeks before Greenfeast. Recommended for a quick crop in autumn or spring. For an extra early pea it is very prolific giving two or three good pickings of well filled bright green pods. Sold extensively as "Gem" by Sydney seedsmen. Pkt., 6d. (post paid, 9d.); 1 lb., 1/3; 5 lbs., 4/3.

RICHARD SEDDON.—● 20 inches. The best second early pea for market or home use. Heavy crops of exceptionally well filled pods. In season between W. F. Massey and Greenfeast. Pkt., 6d. (post paid, 9d.); 1 lb., 1/-; 5 lbs., 3/6; 10 lbs., 5/6.

"WARATAH."—24 inches. New early large podded pea of finest quality and appearance. A few days earlier than American Wonder. This variety has shown resistance to wilt at Bathurst and should be worth a trial in districts where this disease is prevalent. Pkt., 6d. (post paid, 9d.); 1 lb., 1/6; 5 lbs., 6/3.

SOUTHERN CROSS.—30 inches. New main crop variety. Very heavy cropper. In maturity takes the place of Yorkshire Hero. Pkt., 6d. (post paid, 9d.); 1 lb., 1/-; 5 lbs., 4/9.

GREENFEAST.—● 30 ins. This shares with Richard Seddon the honor of ousting the old Yorkshire Hero from the position of the market gardener's pea; it is a better pea, and always sells at a higher price than the Yorkshire. Pkt., 6d. (post paid, 9d.); 1 lb., 1/-; 5 lbs., 3/6.

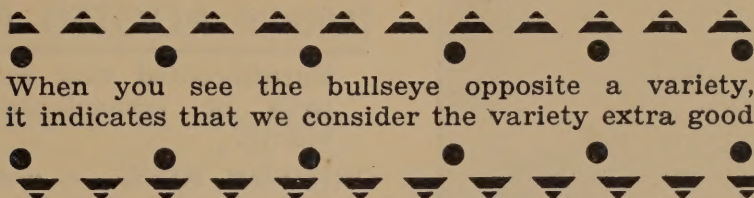
ALDERMAN.—The best tall-growing variety for stakes or trellis. Large crops of enormous pods. Pkt., 6d. (post paid, 9d.); 1 lb., 1/6.

Vegetable Seeds and Roots

ALL SEEDS ARE POST PAID UNLESS QUOTED OTHERWISE.

½lb. lots supplied at 1lb. rate; ½oz. at 1oz. rates (subject to minimum charge of 1/- per item) unless quoted otherwise.

Reduced Prices for larger quantities than listed. Ask for quote.



When you see the bullseye opposite a variety, it indicates that we consider the variety extra good

ARTICHOKE

LARGE GREEN GLOBE.—Pkt., 6d.

JERUSALEM.—Not generally grown from seeds. Rhizomes ready June to August. 3d. lb.; freight extra.

ASPARAGUS

MARY WASHINGTON.—● Has proved to be nearly rust free.

Pkt., 6d.; oz., 1/-; ½ lb., 2/6; 1 lb., 7/6. Roots available June, July and August 25 for 3/6; 10/- 100; freight extra.

Packet Prices

Prices for our standard packets of vegetable seeds are 6d. per packet, except for special lines priced at a higher rates. These packets contain sufficient for average gardens.

To meet the demand of those who have a very limited space we are offering the following popular lines also in

THREEPENNY PACKETS

Except for the undermentioned varieties we cannot depart from prices listed in this catalogue.

BEET—Crosby's Egyptian.

SPINACH BEET—Fordhook Giant.

CABBAGE—Early Jersey Wakefield, Early Drumhead.

CARROT—St. Valery, Early Short-horn.

CUCUMBER—Apple Shaped, White Spine.

LETTUCE—Iceberg, Mignonette.

MARROW—Long Green Bush, Long White Bush.

ONION—Prizetaker, Brown Spanish.

PARSNIP—Short Thick, Hollow Crowned.

PUMPKIN—Queensland Blue.

ROCKMELON—Netted Gem. Pollock 10-25.

WATERMELON—Kleckley's Sweets.

PARSLEY—Triple Curled.

RADISH—All Varieties.

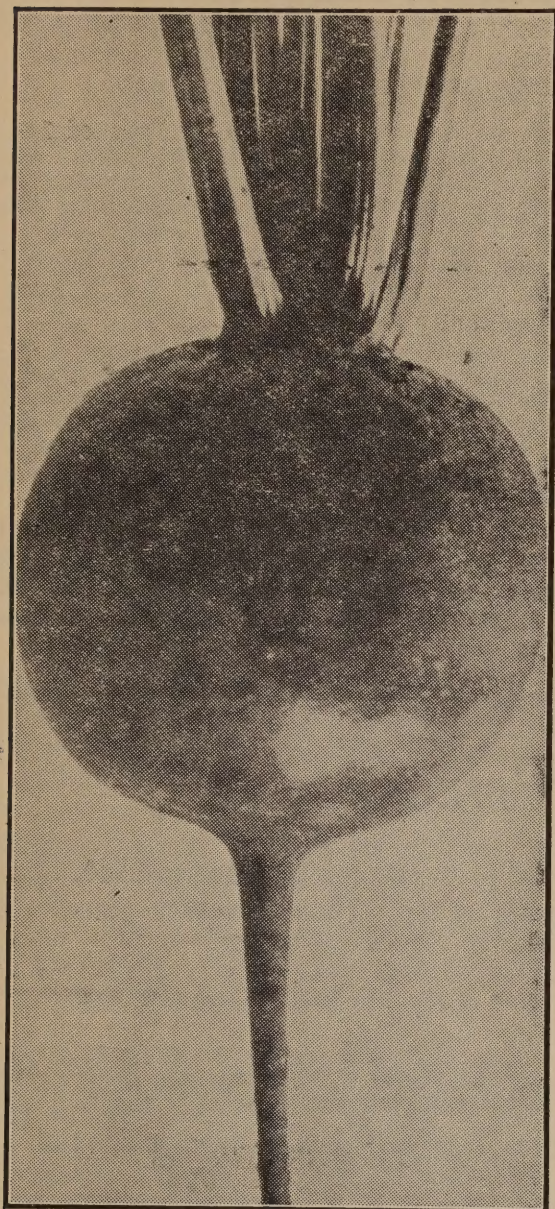
SQUASH—White Bush Scalloped.

SWEDE—Champion.

TURNIP—White Stone.

TOMATO—Large Mixed.

Burwood Prize, Bonny Best.



Crimson King

SILVER or SPINACH BEET

Silver beet, from its continuous cropping habit, has taken the place of spinach.

LUCULLUS.—Large ruffled light green leaves, broad mid-rib. Pkt., 6d.; oz., 1/- $\frac{1}{4}$ lb., 1/6; 1 lb., 4/6.

FORDHOOK GIANT—● Rich blue-green, crinkled leaves, up to 10 inches in width and $2\frac{1}{2}$ feet in height. Stems pearly white, $2\frac{1}{2}$ inches wide, thick and succulent. Pkt., 6d.; oz., 1/-; $\frac{1}{4}$ lb., 2/-; 1 lb., 6/-.

We can also supply a cheaper strain at $\frac{1}{4}$ lb., 1/6; 1 lb., 4/-.

HALF LONG BEET

Requires deep soils, cool climate and autumn planting.

OBELISK (Rumsey's Special Strain).—●

Half Long, good colour and flavour. Fine for slicing. Pkt., 6d.; oz., 1/-; $\frac{1}{4}$ lb., 1/9; 1 lb., 5/-.

TURNIP ROOTED BEET

Turnip-rooted beet may be sown in rows or transplanted almost any month.

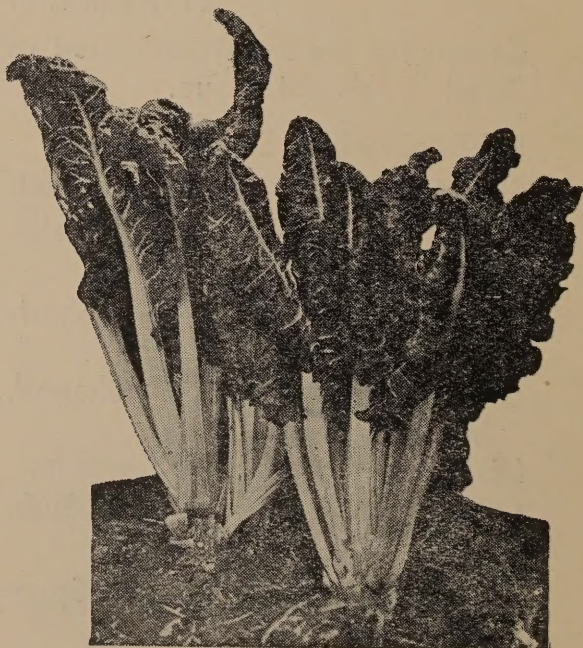
CRIMSON KING.—A new deep crimson fleshed globe shaped beet of exceptional quality. Pkt., 6d.; 1 oz., 1/-; $\frac{1}{4}$ lb., 1/9; 1 lb., 5/-.

EARLY WONDER ● (Rapid Red)—Fine quality beet for early market or home garden. Our strain has been selected for quick maturity and quality of roots. Pkt., 6d.; oz., 1/-; $\frac{1}{4}$ lb., 1/6; 1 lb., 4/6; 3 lbs., 12/-.

CRIMSON GLOBE.—Sweet and tender. Pkt., 6d.; oz., 1/-; $\frac{1}{4}$ lb., 1/6; 1 lb., 4/6.

IMPROVED DETROIT DARK RED.—● A pure line strain of this remarkable market variety. Fine dark colour. Pkt., 6d.; oz., 1/-; $\frac{1}{4}$ lb., 1/6; 1 lb., 4/6; 3 lbs., 12/-.

CROSBY'S EGYPTIAN. ● Popular home garden and market variety. Fine quality red fleshed beetroot, growing to about 3 inches diameter. Pkt., 6d.; oz., 1/-; $\frac{1}{4}$ lb., 1/6; 1 lb., 4/6.



Fordhook Giant

BORECOLE or KALE

Pkt., 6d.; oz., 1/-; $\frac{1}{4}$ lb., 2/-.

SCOTCH KALE.—Dwarf curled variety used for table or poultry greens.

BROCCOLI

PERENNIAL NINE STAR.—For table-lands and western slopes it is most productive and provides an abundance of vegetables for the home, or a continuous supply of greens for poultry. Pkt., 6d.; $\frac{1}{4}$ oz., 2/6; oz., 7/6.

GREEN SPROUTING.—Quite a distinct type and much hardier than white flowered kinds. Branching habit, each branch ending in delicious green sprouts. Pkt., 6d.; oz., 2/-; $\frac{1}{4}$ lb., 6/6.

BRUSSELS SPROUTS

RUMSEY'S GIANT PROLIFIC.—A fine vegetable for the cooler districts. Sow seed in early autumn or late summer. Pkt., 6d.; oz., 2/-; $\frac{1}{4}$ lb., 6/-; lb., 18/-.

CAPE GOOSEBERRY

GOLDEN NUGGET.—This is the result of over twenty years selection. An enormous yellow fruit bursting out of the husk. It sometimes reaches two inches in diameter. Recommended for preserves or jam as fruits are unpalatable to eat raw. The plants are enormously prolific. Pkt., 6d.; $\frac{1}{4}$ oz., 2/6; oz., 7/6; $\frac{1}{4}$ lb., 22/6.

COMMON CAPE GOOSEBERRY.—(Physalis edulis). This variety is a biennial, and in mild climates produces its best crop of fruit during the second season. Pkt., 6d.; $\frac{1}{4}$ oz., 1/6; oz., 4/6.

HUSK TOMATO.—(Physalis pubescens) Quite different from either of the above. The vines are trailers, and it is very prolific. This is the best flavoured variety for eating raw. The berry is small and sweet. Pkt., 6d.; $\frac{1}{4}$ oz., 1/6; oz., 4/6.

CRESS

TRIPLE CURLED or LAND CRESS.—This is used as a salad with mustard. Pkt., 6d.; oz., 1/-.

WATER.—Grows well in running water. Pkt., 6d.

NOTE.—Water cress should be grown in streams which can be fenced to keep dogs from it.

COLLARDS

GEORGIA.—Delicious greens taking the place of spinach and cabbage in hot climates. Pkt., 6d.; oz., 1/-; $\frac{1}{4}$ lb., 3/-; lb., 9/-.

POP CORN

Pkt., 6d.; $\frac{1}{4}$ lb., 1/-, post paid; lb., 2/6, post extra.

Popping Pop Corns is quite an interesting pastime for Winter evenings in front of the fire. Place a handful of the corn in a dry frying-pan covered with an enamel plate. Rotate pan to keep corn moving until it pops.

WHITE RICE.—The grains are pearly white, pointed, and not unlike rice grains in shape.

SWEET CORN

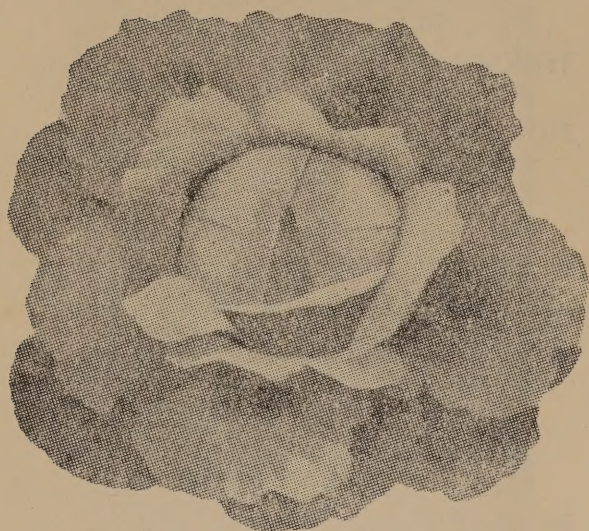
Every garden should have a row of this delicious vegetable. Sown every two weeks in spring and early summer.

GOLD COIN.—An extra early new yellow variety ready for the table a few days ahead of Golden Bantam. Ears 8in. long, plants 5 $\frac{1}{2}$ to 6ft. tall. Pkt., 6d.; $\frac{1}{4}$ lb., 1/- (post paid); lb., 2/6 (post extra).

THE BURPEE.—Rich and sweet heavy cropper larger and earlier than our famous Golden Bantam. Pkt., 6d.; $\frac{1}{4}$ lb., 1/- (post paid); lb., 1/6 (post extra).

WHITE EVERGREEN.—Excellent main-crop variety for home and market. Earlier and larger than Stowell's Evergreen. Sweet and tasty. Pkt., 6d.; $\frac{1}{4}$ lb., 1/- (post paid); lb., 1/6 (post extra).

C a b b a g e



Allhead Early.

COPENHAGEN MARKET — ● Special stock strain. A quick maturing cabbage now becoming very popular for market. We have found it excellent for spring cropping and most reliable. Pkt., 6d.; oz., 1/9; 4 oz., 5/-; 1 lb., 15/-.

GOLDEN ACRE.—● An extra early small round headed cabbage. Extra fine quality and solid. Pkt., 6d.; oz., 1/9; ½ lb., 5/-; 1 lb., 15/-.

ALLHEAD EARLY.—

A popular cabbage for both autumn and spring crops. Forms good solid heads of medium size and not too many outer leaves. Pkt., 6d.; oz., 1/9; ½ lb., 5/-; 1 lb., 15/-.

FLOWER OF SPRING.

—A new variety from Europe which has done well with us. It is semi-conical in shape and foliage is a bright green. Early. Pkt., 6d.; oz., 1/6; ½ lb., 4/6; 1 lb., 12/6.

ENKHUISEN GLORY.—A popular early cabbage with round solid head. Carries well. Selected stock. Pkt., 6d.; oz., 1/6; ½ lb., 4/6; 1 lb., 12/6.

EARLY JERSEY WAKEFIELD.—●

Special stock strain. The best and sweetest small early cabbage for home use. Pkt., 6d.; oz., 1/9; ½ lb., 5/-.

SHORT-STEM DRUMHEAD (Early)—●

Grows close to the ground, and makes very heavy heads. A good autumn cabbage. Pkt., 6d.; oz., 1/6; ½ lb., 4/-; 1 lb., 12/6.

SUCCESSION.—An old favourite with many growers, but not now so popular as the earlier round headed varieties. Pkt., 6d.; oz., 1/6; 4 oz., 4/6; 1 lb., 12/6.

SUCCESSION.—Peter Henderson stock. Pkt., 6d.; oz., 4/-; ½ lb., 11/-; 1 lb., 39/-.

EARLIEST FORCING GLOBE.—A small extra early cabbage forming perfectly round heads of unusual solidity. Having few outer leaves they may be planted 12 inches apart in the row. Pkt., 6d.; oz., 2/6; 4 oz., 7/6.

KING CANUTE.—A very solid ballhead type cabbage suitable for either Autumn, Winter or Spring. Large heads which stand well in the bed after maturing. Pkt., 6d.; oz., 4/-; ½ lb., 12/-.



Copenhagen Market

CABBAGES (Cont.)

Surehead

WORLD-BEATER OR AUTUMN KING.

Very large, stands late summer heat, and matures early winter. Pkt., 6d.; oz., 2/-; $\frac{1}{4}$ lb., 6/-.



PE TSAI

SUREHEAD—● Having so few outer leaves, it can be grown closely where the soil is rich enough, and will give a very great weight of cabbages per acre. Large round flattened, extra firm. Keeps well. Pkt., 6d.; oz., 2/-; $\frac{1}{4}$ lb., 6/6; 1 lb., 20/-.

CHINESE CABBAGE

When sown in February or March and in the cool climates in June, the plants develop quickly, forming large, tightly folded heads of tender leaves, beautifully blanched in the heart. Chinese cabbage is used sliced raw as a salad like lettuce, or is delicious when boiled.

PE TSAI.—The variety best known to Europeans, with large leaves of a light green colour, tender stalks and heart. Specially selected stock. Pkt., 6d.; oz., 1/-; $\frac{1}{4}$ lb., 3/-.

WONG BOK.—This variety has been grown to a considerable extent recently for poultry greens. Broader and shorter heads than Pe Tsai. The leaves are tightly folded and well blanched, the ribs juicy and agreeably pungent. Pkt., 6d.; oz., 1/6; $\frac{1}{4}$ lb., 4/-; lb., 12/-.

SAVOY CABBAGE

PERFECTION SAVOY.—Good for winter growth in the cold districts; much improved by good frosts after maturing. Pkt., 6d.; oz., 1/6; $\frac{1}{4}$ lb., 4/3; lb., 12/6.

RED CABBAGE

MAMMOTH ROCK RED—● Solid, dark red heads, good for pickles, or for cooking. Pkt., 6d.; oz., 1/6; $\frac{1}{4}$ lb., 4/6; lb., 12/6.

CAULIFLOWERS

Cauliflower seeds should be sown from December to March in the warmer parts and November to February, August and September in the cooler districts. Manure heavily before planting out; irrigate well or apply water before they get too dry. Extra early varieties are not recommended for the County of Cumberland. Where plenty of water is available for irrigating November sowing of early varieties in tableland districts are usually successful for autumn cutting.



Arlington

EARLY CAULIFLOWERS

ARLINGTON—An early variety of exceptional quality. Pkt., 6d.; $\frac{1}{4}$ oz., 2/6; 1 oz., 7/6.

FORDHOOK.—Remarkable for its earliness, making a firm solid head 6 to 9 inches in diameter in 85 days after sowing the seed. The plants are dwarf and compact, the stem is short. Pkts., 1/-; $\frac{1}{4}$ oz., 5/-; oz., 15/-; $\frac{1}{4}$ lb., 45/-.

BURPEEANA.—● This cauliflower is not quite so early as Fordhook, but the heads are so uniformly shaped and formed as to be remarkable. The foliage is full and of a fine dark green, and the inner leaves curl over the head and protect it against the weather. Burpeeana has a beautiful white

curd, smooth and free from small leaflets, between the sections, and very attractive on the table when cooked. Pkt., 1/-; $\frac{1}{4}$ oz., 5/-; oz., 15/-; $\frac{1}{4}$ lb., 45/-; lb., 120/-.

BURPEE'S BEST EARLY.—● Is a splendid variety both for market and the home garden. It is a $3\frac{1}{2}$ month cauliflower, and sowings should be made in time to plant out not later than March or April for autumn crops, and August in the mountain and cooler parts. Pkt., 6d.; $\frac{1}{4}$ oz., 3/6; oz., 10/-; $\frac{1}{4}$ lb., 30/-; lb., 90/-.

WHITE QUEEN OR EARLY ERFURT.—A very early dwarf; reliable header. Extra select strain. Pkt., 6d.; $\frac{1}{4}$ oz., 2/6; oz., 7/6; $\frac{1}{4}$ lb., 22/6.

DRY WEATHER CAULIFLOWER.—This variety produces large pure white solid heads about a week later than the extra early varieties, such as Best Early. Its drought resisting qualities make it a very fine variety for Australian conditions, and many gardeners who do not as a rule succeed with cauliflowers will find it something worth while. Pkt., 6d.; $\frac{1}{4}$ oz., 3/6; oz., 10/6; $\frac{1}{4}$ lb., 30/-.

MID-SEASON CAULIFLOWER

"EARLY" GREENLEAF (or Green Glazed).—This cauliflower is quite distinct, having dark green leaves with a shiny surface. It is sometimes called "aphis proof" from its resistance to those pests. From our experience this has been called Early because it heads up early in Spring, as it is not early maturing. Pkt., 6d.; oz., 6/-.

BORONIA GIANT.—● This is one of the Broccoli-Cauliflower cross-breeds that has proved so suitable for the coastal districts and warmer parts of N.S.W. The Chinese gardeners for many years held a monopoly of the seed and each grew his own supply and only sufficient for his own needs. We have, however, after a long series of experiments, succeeded in growing limited supplies for our customers. Boronia Giant, planted out about the end of January or early February, will produce large snow-white heads about June, and in suitable localities, later planting will give equal results in $4\frac{1}{2}$ to 5 months from planting out. Pkt., 6d.; $\frac{1}{4}$ oz., 2/6; oz., 7/6; $\frac{1}{4}$ lb., 22/6; 1 lb., 80/-.

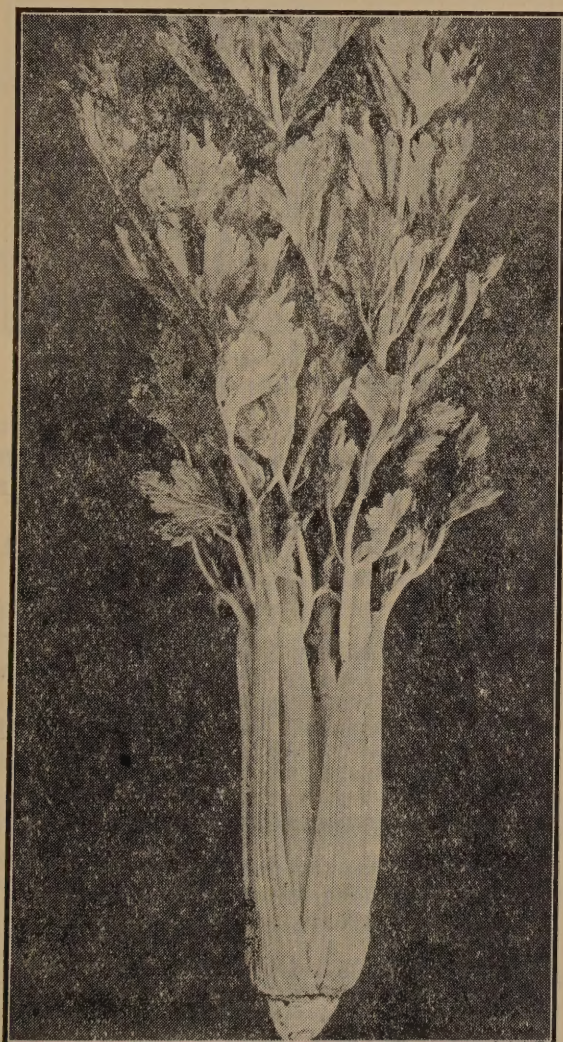
CAULIFLOWER—(Contd.)

BEST OF ALL.—An English main crop variety which has given excellent results in certain tableland districts of this State. Pkt., 6d.; oz., 5/-; $\frac{1}{4}$ lb., 15/-.

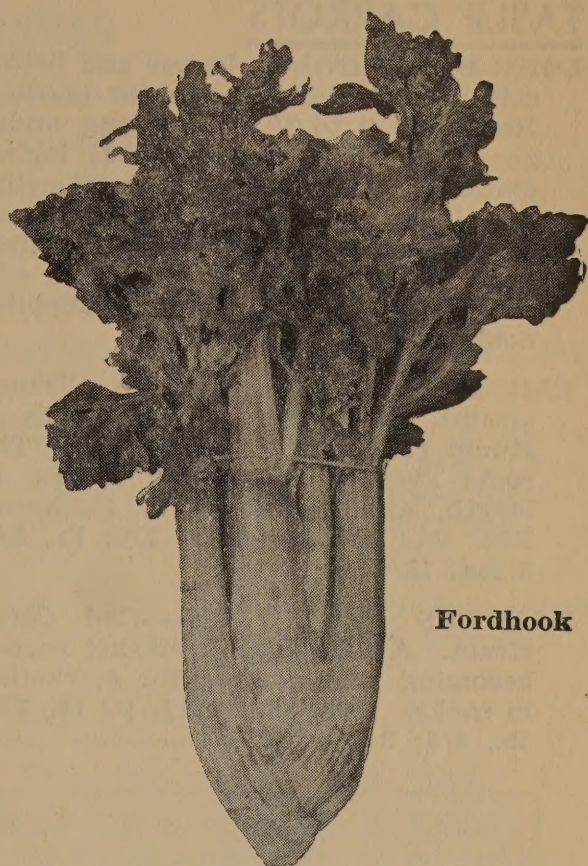
PHENOMENAL MAINCROP.—One of the best for districts west of the dividing range. Matures in six to seven months, coming into head in early spring from autumn sowing. Pkt., 6d.; oz., 6/-; $\frac{1}{4}$ lb., 20/-.

LATE CAULIFLOWERS

LATE METROPOLE.—A very late, large and very white cauliflower; vigorous and hardy. The head is well protected by the inner leaves. The heads grow to 18 or 20 lb. in weight. 7 months. Pkt., 6d.; oz., 5/-; $\frac{1}{4}$ lb., 15/-.



Golden Phenomenal.



Fordhook

CELERY

(See Also Novelties)

GOLDEN PHENOMENAL. ● Heavy, compact and full-hearted; intermediate height. A top price market variety. Pkt., 6d.; oz., 3/-; $\frac{1}{4}$ lb., 10/6.

WHITE PLUME.—The earliest and most easily blanched of the celeries, of delicious nutty flavour. Pkt., 6d.; oz., 1/6; $\frac{1}{4}$ lb., 4/-.

FORDHOOK. ●—A hardy variety of outstanding merit. Of dwarf type, the stalks smooth and very thick. The colour snow white, the heart tinged with yellow. Flavour, nutty and crisp. Pkt., 6d.; $\frac{1}{4}$ oz., 1/-; oz., 3/6. (See illustration).

GIANT PASCAL.—A late variety, producing tall, thick stalks. Blanches to an attractive light yellow. Tasty and crisp. Pkt., 6d.; oz., 1/6; $\frac{1}{4}$ lb., 4/-.

CELERIAC.—Turnip rooted, used for soups. Pkt., 6d.

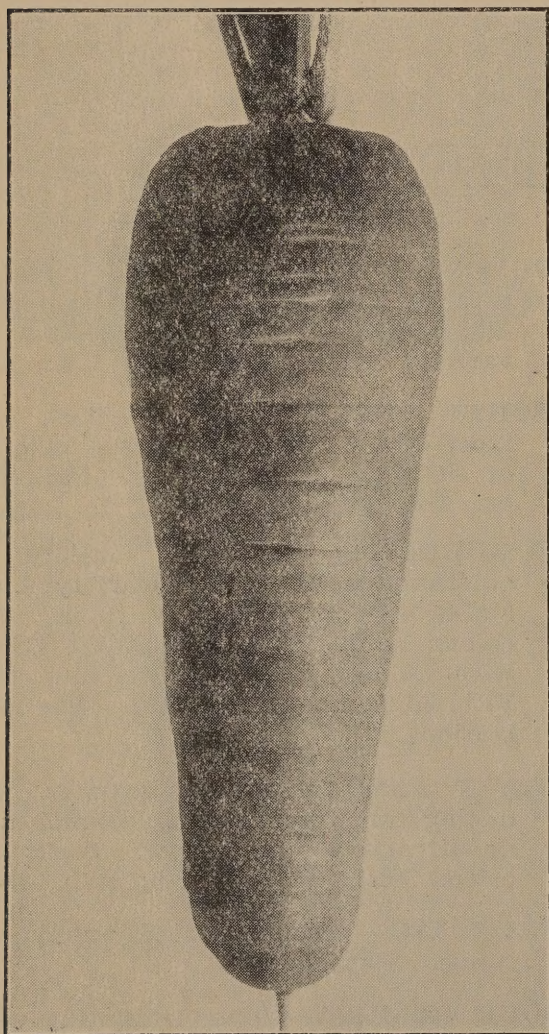
SOUP CELERY.—Non-germinating. For flavoured only. $\frac{1}{4}$ lb., 1/-; lb., 3/-.

TABLE CARROTS

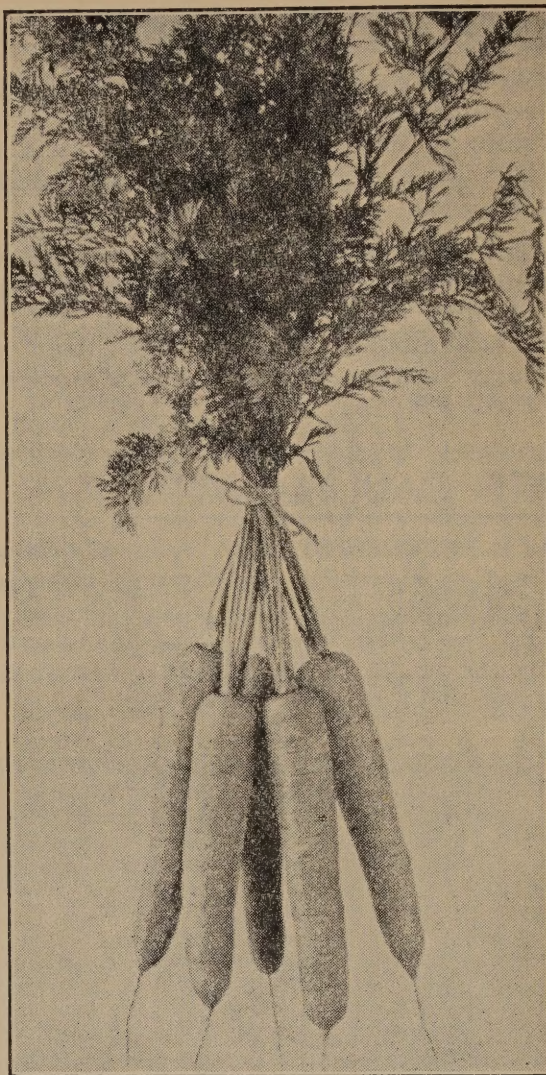
LONG BUNCHING—A longer and better coloured bunching carrot for market. Roots are 9 to 10 inches long under good conditions, and up to $1\frac{1}{2}$ inches diameter. When mature almost cylindrical and well stumped. Necks are small, but leaves tough. Requires good soil for best results. Pkt., 6d.; oz., 1/-; 4 oz., 2/-; lb., 6/-. Supplies doubtful.

EARLY NANTES.—● (True French strain). Half-long variety, with a stump root and a fine tap-root. The roots average about six inches in length, and $1\frac{1}{2}$ inches in thickness. Pkt., 6d.; oz., 1/-; $\frac{1}{4}$ lb., 1/9; lb., 5/-; 3 lbs., 13/6.

DANVERS HALF LONG.—Red Cored strain. A first quality market carrot, becoming very popular for marketing in sacks. Pkt., 6d.; oz., 1/-; $\frac{1}{4}$ lb., 1/6; lb., 4/6; 3 lbs., 12/-.



Red Cored Chantenay



Carrot Long Bunching

ST. VALERY.—An intermediate carrot with long tapered roots, quite smooth and regular in growth. Two to three inches in diameter at the top and to 10 inches in length. Pkt., 6d.; oz., 1/-; $\frac{1}{4}$ lb., 1/6; lb., 4/6; 3 lbs., 12/-.

RED CORED CHANTENAY.—● Extra fine quality, rich orange colour, with core almost the same colour as the flesh and of equal quality, stump rooted, uniform and delicious. Pkt., 6d.; oz., 1/-; $\frac{1}{4}$ lb., 1/6; lb., 4/6; 3 lbs., 12/-.

WHITE INTERMEDIATE.—Best white carrot for table use, good flavour. Also known as White Belgian "in ground" strain. Pkt., 6d.; oz., 1/-; $\frac{1}{4}$ lb., 1/6; lb., 4/6.

EARLY SHORTHORN.—A fine variety for quick growth and for shallow soils, roots up to 3 inches in length and $1\frac{1}{2}$ inches in diameter, of a rich deep orange colour and sweet flavour. Pkt., 6d.; oz., 1/-; $\frac{1}{4}$ lb., 1/9; 1 lb., 5/-.

CUCUMBER

"STRAIGHT EIGHT"—See Novelties.

GREEN APPLE.—A selection from the Crystal Apple variety, having a green tinged skin. Pkt., 6d.; oz., 2/6; $\frac{1}{4}$ lb., 7/6.

EARLY FORTUNE—● Early, and immensely productive. Fruits grow up to 9in. in length. The colour of the skin is a rich, dark green and the flesh is pure white, firm and crisp; delicious flavour. Pkt., 6d.; oz., 1/-; $\frac{1}{4}$ lb., 3/-; lb., 9/6.

COMMERCIAL OR FORDHOOK

WHITE SPINE—● A perfectly shaped cucumber of medium length and large diameter, quite smooth, and remaining green after being picked; very productive. This cucumber has by far the largest sale on the markets. Pkts., 6d.; oz., 1/-; $\frac{1}{4}$ lb., 3/-; lb., 9/6.

APPLE SHAPED.—● The apple shaped cucumber is at its best when the outer skin is almost white, before it starts to turn yellow. Pkt., 6d.; oz., 1/-; $\frac{1}{4}$ lb., 3/6; lb., 10/6.

CRYSTAL APPLE.—The skin is white without any trace of brown or yellow. Though this cucumber looks fine at any stage it should only be marketed while quite young. Pkt., 6d., oz., 2/-; $\frac{1}{4}$ lb., 6/-.

WHITE EARLY.—● A new, long, white cucumber, growing 10 to 12in. long, and 3in. in diameter. Pale green while young, turning to a porcelain white. Pkt., 6d.; oz., 2/-.

BOSTON PICKLING.—● Best variety to grow for commercial "gherkins." Pick when 1½ to 2 inches long for best prices. Pkt., 6d.; oz., 1/-; $\frac{1}{4}$ lb., 3/-; lb., 10/-.

AFRICAN HORNED.—● Unique, very late, enormously prolific. Fruit while young may be eaten freely as apples; when ripe, with a spoon like passion fruit. Pkt., 6d.; oz., 2/6.

GHERKINS.—True West Indian Burr Gherkin (*Cucumis anguria*). Used for pickling whole. This is not the commercial gherkin as sold in Australia. Pkt., 6d.; oz., 1/6.

HERBS

Pkt., 6d.

PARSLEY.—See page 23.

SAGE.—Best broad leaved. Oz., 1/6.

THYME.—Best green-leaved. Oz., 3/-.

MARJORAM.—Sweet or knotted. Oz., 3/-.

THYME, SAGE and MARJORAM, MIXED.—Pkt., 6d.; oz., 2/-.

OTHER HERBS.—The following can be supplied in 6d. packets only—Anise, Balm, Basil, Borage, Caraway, Coriander, Dill, Hyssop, Lavender, Rue, and Savory.

PLANTS of Thyme, Parsley, Sage, Marjoram and Mint, 6d. each, post paid.

EGG PLANT

Pkt., 6d.; oz., 3/-; $\frac{1}{4}$ lb., 10/-.

NEW YORK IMPROVED LARGE

PURPLE—● A fine large variety.

ENDIVE

GREEN CURLED.—When well blanched, makes an improvement on lettuce. Pkt., 6d.; oz., 1/-.

KOHL-RABI

Pkt., 6d.; oz., 1/3; $\frac{1}{4}$ lb., 3/6.

LARGE PURPLE.—A fine, tender variety.

LEEK

MUSSELBURGH—● A well-known, good and hardy sort. Pkt., 6d.; oz., 1/6; $\frac{1}{4}$ lb., 4/-; lb., 12/-.

MUSTARD

This is usually grown with cress. Pkt., 6d.; $\frac{1}{4}$ lb., 1/-; lb., 2/6.

WHITE.—The old English variety; seed used for making the well-known condiment.

FORDHOOK FANCY—● The most beautifully curled and crested leaves; fine for garnishing.

MUSHROOM SPAWN

This may be planted in the open garden in autumn and winter, or at any time in a cave or dark place where the temperature ranges between 50 and 70 degrees.

Circular on mushroom cultivation free with each package of spawn.

PURE CULTURE SPAWN.—Locally produced spawn of finest quality. Very reliable. Sufficient to spawn a bed of: 10 sq. ft., 3/-, post 4d. extra; 20 sq. ft., 5/-, post 8d. extra. Reduced prices for larger quantities on request.

LETTUCE

CALIFORNIA CREAM BUTTER.—The largest of the butter lettuces. Best in Winter. Pkt., 6d.; oz., 1/-; $\frac{1}{4}$ lb., 3/-.

ICEBERG.—Handsome curly, light green leaves, with pink tint. Solid head. Good Summer lettuce. Pkt., 6d.; oz., 1/-; $\frac{1}{4}$ lb., 2/9; lb., 8/-.

PARIS WHITE COS.—The Cos lettuces are quite distinct; they require tying up to blanch the centre leaves. For Winter use. Pkt., 6d.; oz., 1/-.

MIGNONETTE.—A crisp curly, small brown lettuce that succeeds in Fiji, and very hot climates. Pkt., 6d.; oz., 1/6; $\frac{1}{4}$ lb., 4/-; lb., 12/-.

SPECIAL STRAINS OF NEW YORK.

Growers of lettuce for market should try our different strains and adopt for each season the one that gives them the best results. The Imperial strains are resistant to mildew and brown blight.

IMPERIAL 615—● Our trials last year showed this strain to stand even more cold weather than Imperial "D." We recommend it for trial where light frosts are expected in winter. Pkt., 6d.; oz., 1/6; $\frac{1}{4}$ lb., 4/-; lb., 12/-.

IMPERIAL "D."—● Stands more frost than others. Our strain of this fine dark green lettuce has become very popular for winter planting. Pkt., 6d.; oz., 1/6; $\frac{1}{4}$ lb., 4/-; lb., 12/-; 3 lbs., 34/6.

IMPERIAL "F."—● One of best commercial strains for spring, summer and autumn. Combines the qualities of brown blight resistance with resistance to tip burn and mildew. Pkt., 6d.; oz., 1/6; $\frac{1}{4}$ lb., 4/-; lb., 12/-; 3 lbs., 33/-; 10 lbs., 100/-.

WONDERFUL or NEW YORK—Select strain. Pkt., 6d.; oz., 1/-; $\frac{1}{4}$ lb., 3/-; lb., 9/-.



New York—Imperial "F."

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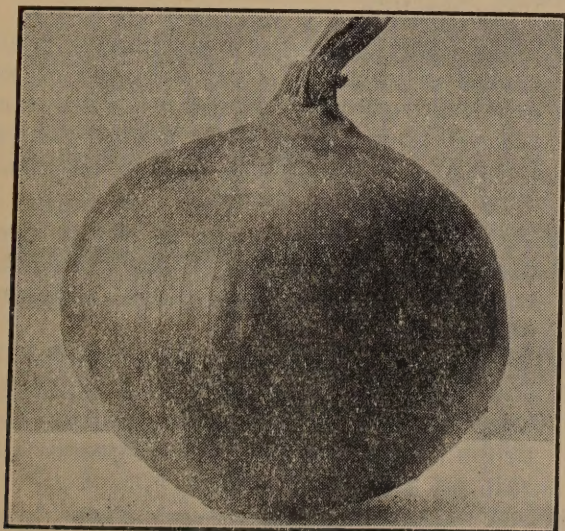
DWARF PROLIFIC.—Plant of hibiscus family the buds of which are used for soups. Pkt., 6d.; oz., 2/-.

ONIONS

PRIZETAKER.—● This onion has done well in all parts of Australia, and in very different classes of soil; for transplanting it is one of the best. It is a very large onion, often going to 4 lb. in weight, and frequently measures over 4 inches in diameter. The skin is a beautiful golden brown, and the flesh very white, solid, crisp, juicy and mild. Pkt., 6d.; oz., 1/9; ¼ lb., 5/-; lb., 15/-.

BROWN SPANISH.—● The standard keeping onion. Hard to beat for general market purposes, select strain. Matures late in season. Pkt., 6d.; oz., 1/-; ¼ lb., 2/6; lb., 8/-.

CRYSTAL WHITE WAX.—Clear white, very flat, medium, large and early. Should be shipped in crates to prevent damage. Like all of the early white onions it is a poor keeper. Very mild and sweet. Pkt., 6d.; oz., 2/-; ¼ lb., 6/6; lb., 20/-.



Prizetaker.

EARLY BARLETTA.—● Special strain. Recommended in preference to White Pearl and White Queen, which are very similar. In our trials it has proved itself one of the best early white onions for early market. Pkt., 6d.; oz., 1/6; ¼ lb., 4/-; lb., 12/-.

SILVER KING.—A large flat late onion of mild flavour. Pkt., 6d.; oz., 1/6; ¼ lb., 4/-; lb., 12/6.

HUNTER RIVER EARLY BROWN.—● The best local strain of early brown onion. The extra cost of this seed is well worth while. Price, Pkt., 6d.; oz., 3/-; ¼ lb., 9/-; lb., 27/6.

HUNTER RIVER WHITE GLOBE.—● A select strain of this early variety for commercial crops. Pkt., 6d.; oz., 4/-; ¼ lb., 12/-; lb., 37/-.

ODOURLESS.—A recently introduced variety of the type of Giant Rocca. A mid-season variety, producing large bulbs suitable for eating raw. Our vivid green leaved strain is recommended. Pkt., 6d.; oz., 3/-; ¼ lb., 9/-; lb., 27/-.

SOUTHPORT WHITE GLOBE.—● The bulbs have a bright paper-white skin, with white flesh. Pkt., 6d.; oz., 2/-; ¼ lb., 5/6; lb., 16/6.

SOUTHPORT RED GLOBE.—A fine bright red onion for show purposes. Flesh white, tinted with pink near the crimson skin. Pkt., 6d.; oz., 1/9; ¼ lb., 5/-; lb., 15/-.

MULTIPLIER ONIONS

Varieties not generally grown from seeds. Bulbs usually available from February to early Spring.

ESCHALLOT, LARGE RUSSIAN.—The most popular variety, very hardy and prolific. Good for pickles. 1/- lb., post extra.

ESCHALLOT, SMALL FRENCH.—Small variety, excellent for salads. 1/- lb., post extra.

TREE ONION.—Tops, 1/3 lb., post extra.

GARLIC.—Used for flavouring. 1/- lb., post extra.

WATERMELONS

See also Novelties.

Pkt., 6d.; oz., 1/-; $\frac{1}{4}$ lb., 2/-; lb., 5/9 each variety, except where stated.

PRIDE OF MUSCATINE.—A new wilt-resisting strain of the popular Kleckley's Sweets. Having slightly tougher rind, it is a better shipping melon. Recommended for growers in commercial areas, where wilt is prevalent.

EARLY SUGAR.—An early variety of Sugarstick. Fruits round, skin mottled greyish green. Medium size. Pkt., 6d.; oz., 1/6; $\frac{1}{4}$ lb., 4/6; lb., 12/6.

IOWA BELLE-ROUND.—Mottled dark and light green skin. Main-crop wilt-resisting. Pkt., 6d.; oz., 1/9; $\frac{1}{4}$ lbs., 5/-; lb., 15/-.

ANGELINO.—● Excellent melon for shipping or local markets. Oval, green skin. Black seeded and white seeded strains stocked.

CHILIAN BLACK SEEDED.—The black seeded melons sell better in slices, and when cut. Medium sized melon, flesh bright red and of delicious quality. Seeds should be soaked before sowing.

KLONDYKE.—Good home garden and local sale variety. Oval shape. Flesh brittle and sweet. Pkt., 6d.; oz., 1/6; $\frac{1}{4}$ lb., 4/6.

FORDHOOK EARLY.—A good early melon for some districts, especially the cooler regions. Growers are advised to try it in a small way first to see if suitable to their locality before sowing a large area. Dark green skin, oval shaped. Carries well.

HALBERT HONEY.—● The melons are large, sweet and tasty, melting in the mouth like honey, and leaving no fibre. Second early. One of the best home garden varieties.

STONE MOUNTAIN.—A new variety of merit. Round and slightly ribbed. The smooth skin is green and flesh deep crimson. Large size and early.

KLECKLEY'S SWEETS IMPROVED OR MARKET WONDER.—● An excellent market melon, having dark green skin and rich red flesh. Large size, oblong, and of good eating quality.

SUNNYBROOK.—● An excellent main-crop market melon. Oblong, greyish green fruits, up to 30 or 40 lbs. each. Fine-grained, sweet and tasty.

TOM WATSON.—A fine quality melon with tough skin that enables it to be shipped to distant markets. Large melons 10 to 24 inches in length and 10 to 12 inches in diameter, up to 50 or 60lb. in weight. Rind dark green.

KLECKLEY SWEETS.—Delicious; another home garden melon.

ICE CREAM or PEERLESS.—The very name is cooling. Large and prolific.

IRISH GRAY.—● A market garden melon, with light green rind, which is very tough. The red flesh is of fine melting flavour.

FLORIDA FAVOURITE.—A main crop variety. Skin light green, mottled darker green. Carries well.

ROCK MELONS

Pkt., 6d.; oz., 1/-; $\frac{1}{4}$ lb., 2/6; lb., 8/- each variety; except where priced.

HONEY DEW—MILDEW-RESISTANT.

—● A new strain of this favourite late melon which, because of its resistance to mildew, will be of great help to growers of autumn crops. Pkt., 6d.; oz., 1/3; $\frac{1}{4}$ lb., 3/6; lb., 10/6.

MONTREAL NUTMEG.—● Thick flesh, light green, flavour simply delicious. Fruits 6 $\frac{1}{2}$ inches diameter and very heavy—from 11 to 22 lb.

NETTED GEM or ROCKY FORD.—This is the most popular small variety of Rock Melon for packing in cases for market as well as a good home garden type. The skin is green, turning to grey as it is ripe for market. Very prolific.

HONEY ROCK.—A new maincrop rock-melon of merit. Heavy cropper of exceptional quality. Fruit medium sized almost round and grey green skin is heavily netted. Flesh is deep salmon, very sweet and tasty.

HEARTS OF GOLD.—● A main crop market melon, about 5 by 6 inches, weighing up to 2lb., flesh ripening close to rind.

POLLOCK-10-25.—● An early melon of the solid netted type. A splendid keeper, carries well—fine quality. Stem drops off when ripe. Flesh green with salmon tint.

SPICY CANTELOUPE.—● Fine large melons of exquisite flavour; stringless. Prolific and of vigorous growth. Pkt., 6d.; oz., 1/6; $\frac{1}{4}$ lb., 4/6; lb., 12/6.

ROCK MELONS—(Contd.)

HALES BEST.—● One of the earliest of large melons to mature. Oval in shape, slightly ribbed and well netted.

SYDNEY MARKET.—● Fruit of medium size, with a fine heavy netting, and fairly distinct ribs. Averages about 5 lb. in weight. The flesh is bright salmon pink, and of excellent flavour.

FORDHOOK.—A most delicious variety for market and home use. Round, flat, well ribbed and heavily netted; the skin is thin.

CALIFORNIAN CREAM.—● Very popular for shipping to Sydney markets late in the summer and autumn. Is a hybrid cassaba or Persian type. Pkt., 6d.; oz., 1/6; $\frac{1}{4}$ lb., 5/-; lb., 17/6.

PRESERVING MELONS

Pkt., 6d.; oz., 1/-; $\frac{1}{4}$ lb., 1/6; lb., 4/6;
Except where stated.

JELLY MELON.—This melon is noted for cooking to a jelly instead of in hard pieces.

RED SEEDED CITRON.—● A very popular red-seeded variety.

COLORADO CITRON.—An immense round melon with firm, white flesh.

SNOW MELON.—The seed is contained in the central cavity like a vegetable marrow, making it very easy to prepare for jam, for which it is very fine. Pkt., 6d.; oz., 1/9; $\frac{1}{4}$ lb., 5/-.

PEPPERS (Capsicum)

Pkt., 6d.; oz., 4/-.

CHINESE GIANT.—● As big as a quart pot; very mild; delicious stuffed.

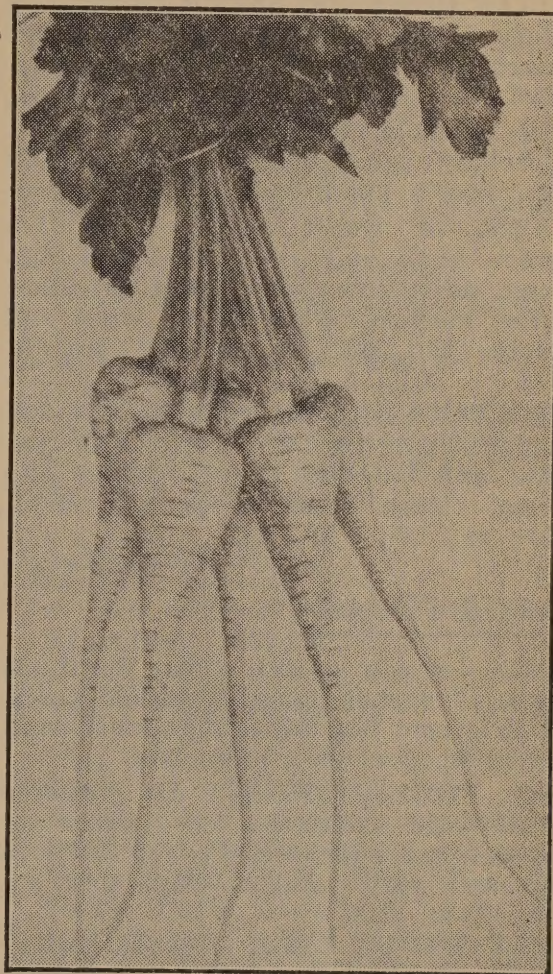
CALIFORNIA WONDER.—● Stocky, upright plants, bearing heavy crops of large, broad, deep green fruits, turning bright red when ripe. Flesh is thick and sweet.

LONG RED CAYENNE.—Hot and pungent.

PARSNIPS

SHORT THICK.—A very early variety, roots filling out at an early stage, making it suitable for home gardens. When fully grown is 6 to 8 inches long and $2\frac{1}{2}$ to $3\frac{1}{2}$ inches thick. Good for bunching for market. Pkt., 6d.; oz., 1/-; $\frac{1}{4}$ lb., 1/6; lb., 4/6; 3 lbs., 12/-.

HOLLOW CROWNED.—● The standard market variety. Pkt., 6d.; oz., 1/-; $\frac{1}{4}$ lb., 1/3; lb., 3/-; 3 lbs., 8/3.



PARSNIP—Short Thick

PARSLEY

See also novelties.

TRIPLE CURLED or Extra Dark Moss Curled. Pkts., 6d.; oz., 1/-; $\frac{1}{4}$ lb., 1/6; lb., 4/-.

PEANUTS

Pkt., 6d., post paid; lb., 1/6, post extra.

SMALL SPANISH.—A standard variety; a good cropper, hardy.

VIRGINIAN BUNCH.—Larger and longer pods.

MARROWS and SQUASHES

All the summer squashes and vegetable marrows should be cooked while the outer skin is tender enough to scratch with the finger nail, and should be cooked without peeling or removing seeds.

VEGETABLE MARROW

ITALIAN GREEN STRIPED (Bush).—●

Very prolific and one of the best of marrows for cooking while young. Pkt., 6d.; oz., 1/-; $\frac{1}{4}$ lb., 2/6; lb., 6/6.

LONG WHITE (Bush).—● Very prolific. Specially selected strain. Pkt., 6d.; oz., 1/-; $\frac{1}{4}$ lb., 2/6; lb., 7/6.

ZUCCINI.—A select strain of Italian green bush marrow, fruits 12 inches long, dark green skin, mottled yellow when mature. Flesh thick, sweet and tasty. Pkt., 6d.; oz., 1/-; $\frac{1}{4}$ lb., 2/6; lb., 6/6.

EARLY GOLDEN CROOKNECK.—Excellent home garden variety. Skin yellow and warted. Flesh cream and firm. Bush habit of growth. Pkt., 6d.; oz., 1/-; $\frac{1}{4}$ lb., 2/6.

SUMMER SQUASH

ACORN.—A new squash of the Fordhook type, 7 inches long, 3 inches thick. Skin green, turning orange when ripe. Pkt., 6d.; oz., 1/-; $\frac{1}{4}$ lb., 3/3.

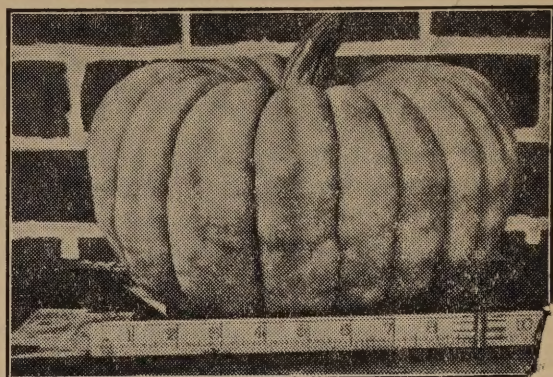
BUSH FORDHOOK.—● If gathered while still immature, no marrow or squash can approach this for delicious flavour; very prolific. Pkt., 6d.; oz., 1/-; $\frac{1}{4}$ lb., 3/3.

EARLY WHITE BUSH SCALLOPED.—● The very best of this type. Pkt., 6d.; oz., 1/-; $\frac{1}{4}$ lb., 2/6; lb., 6/6.

GOLDEN CUSTARD (Bush).—Small flat squashes in profusion. Pkt., 6d.; oz., 1/-; $\frac{1}{4}$ lb., 2/6; lb., 6/6.

TABLE PUMPKINS

IDEAL.—A new variety produced by the N.S.W. Department of Agriculture. In shape somewhat resembling the Queensland blue variety. Medium to large pumpkins of excellent quality. The colour of skin is greyish green when mature. Pkt., 6d.; oz., 1/6; $\frac{1}{4}$ lb., 4/6; lb., 12/6.



Pumpkin Ideal

TURK'S CAP—LOW-CROWNED TYPE.

—A great improvement on the old high crowned type. Appears very suitable for tableland and Victorian conditions. Pkt., 6d.; oz., 1/-; $\frac{1}{4}$ lb., 3/3; lb., 10/-.

CROWN.—A standard table variety. Pkt., 6d.; oz., 1/-; $\frac{1}{4}$ lb., 3/-; lb., 9/-.

TRIANGLE.—● Triangle or Shamrock. Medium-sized pumpkin, but the best table pumpkin now grown. Pkt., 6d.; oz., 1/-; $\frac{1}{4}$ lb., 3/-; lb., 9/-.

QUEENSLAND BLUE.—● Special stock selected for freedom from "bone." Best procurable and well worth the extra price. Medium sized pumpkin early maturing and good shape for market. Pkt., 6d.; oz., 1/6; $\frac{1}{4}$ lb., 4/-; lb., 12/-; 3 lbs., 33/-.

HUBBARD SQUASH.—● Dark green fruits, quick maturing and keeps well. Pkt., 6d.; oz., 1/-; $\frac{1}{4}$ lbs., 3/-; lb., 9/-.

RED or GOLDEN HUBBARD.—Very good. Pkt., 6d.; oz., 1/-; $\frac{1}{4}$ lb., 3/-; lb., 9/-.

BLUE HUBBARD.—● Rich blue-green skin. Pkt., 6d.; oz., 1/-; $\frac{1}{4}$ lb., 3/-; lb., 9/-.

BANANA.—A fine flavoured winter squash. Pkt., 6d.; oz., 1/3; $\frac{1}{4}$ lb., 3/-; lb., 9/-.

TROMBONE or RIO GRAMMA.—● Best of all pie pumpkins. Pkt., 6d.; oz., 1/3; $\frac{1}{4}$ lb., 3/3; lb., 9/-.

JUMBO or MAMMOTH.—The best large pumpkin for stock feed. Grows to an enormous size. Pkt., 6d.; oz., 1/-; $\frac{1}{4}$ lb., 3/-; lb., 9/-.

HORSE RADISH

Roots, 6d. each; 4/6 doz.; postage, 3d. each; 1/- doz extra.

RADISHES

Pkt., 6d.; $\frac{1}{2}$ lb., 1/-; lb., 3/-, each variety.

WHITE ICICLE.—● Fine long white, maturing 20 to 25 days.

EARLY LONG SCARLET.—(Short Top) Early, crisp and fine flavour.

WHITE CHINESE.—● These grow to a great size in China and Japan and are cooked like a turnip. Best sown in early autumn.

IMPROVED CHARTIERS.—● A dainty crimson, long radish, with a white tip, very delicious.

FRENCH BREAKFAST.—● Olive shaped. Bright rose scarlet, white tipped. Flesh white, firm, crisp, juicy and tender.

SCARLET WONDER.—Popular turnip-rooted variety, all scarlet.

SPARKLER.—Scarlet Turnip, white tipped.

SURPRISE MIXTURE.—A mixture of all sorts, short, long and medium.

ROSELLA

The Rosella is a hot climate plant, much more tender than the tomato. The beautiful red seed bracts are used for making jelly and summer drinks.

EARLY.—New strain which will mature in much shorter season than the old type. Pkt., 6d.; oz., 2/6.

LATE.—Requires at least 4 months hot weather to mature. Pkt., 6d.; oz., 1/3; $\frac{1}{2}$ lb., 3/3.

RHUBARB

Pkt., 6d.; oz., 1/6; $\frac{1}{2}$ lb., 4/3; lb., 12/6.

SYDNEY WINTER.—● The wonderful winter growing rhubarb, treated as an annual, sown in February or March, yields all winter in coastal districts, and very early spring in colder parts. Seedlings available March to June. 2/- doz.; 7/6 100, post paid. Large roots available any time. 3/- doz.; 20/- 100; freight extra.

VICTORIA.—The large standard summer rhubarb.

SPINACH

Pkt., 6d.; oz., 1/-; $\frac{1}{2}$ lb., 1/6.

(See also Spinach Beet).

PRICKLY SEEDED.—For Autumn planting.

NEW ZEALAND or SYDNEY HARBOUR.—Large leafed; hardy.

SALSIFY (Oyster Plant)

SANDWICH ISLAND MAMMOTH.—A delicious vegetable grown like parsnip. The boiled roots have a distinct oyster flavour. Pkt., 6d.

SCORZONERA

A root vegetable not unlike Salsify. Perennial. Pkt., 6d.

SWEET POTATO

Very seldom sets seeds, so rooted cuttings are planted.

Strong hardened plants available September to January of following varieties:—H.A.C. Pink (Pink skin yellow flesh); Porto Rico, very early, excellent flavour (flesh bright orange); Jersey Yellow; Strassburg Yellow; White Bunching—a compact growing variety; Nancy Hall. Rooted cuttings. 1/6 doz.; 8/6 100, post paid; 1/- doz.; 7/- 100, freight extra.

HOT KAPS

Hot Kaps are thin paper hoods for protecting seed and hastening germination. They are placed over a group of seeds and are later slashed, then removed as the season advances.

Hot Kaps are inexpensive and very effective and with methodical use they should more than pay their way.

Price:—11/6 per 100; £5/5/- per 1,000, freight extra. 1 dozen 1/6, postage 4d. extra.

TOMATO

Varieties marked F.W.R. are those that are resistant to Fusarium Wilt. This must not be confused with Bronze or Spotted Wilt, as there are no commercial varieties resistant to Bronze Wilt.

EARLY TOMATOES

HELVETIA.—● A red cluster tomato producing fruit of a commercial size, up to two or three inches in diameter. It is an enormous cropper and if the fruit are systematically thinned they reach a fair size. Helvetia has proved not only a good early spring crop, but in the coastal districts it is unsurpassed for autumn planting, and may be put out several weeks later than Earliana and Early Pride class of tomato.

For glasshouse work it equals best English types such as E.S.I. and Kondine Red. Pkt., 6d.; $\frac{1}{4}$ oz., 1/9; oz., 5/-; $\frac{1}{4}$ lb., 15/-.

MARVANA.—F.W.R. The vine is similar to Earliana, being rather open and flat. Pkt., 6d.; $\frac{1}{4}$ oz., 1/-; oz., 3/-; $\frac{1}{4}$ lb., 10/-.

BREAK O' DAY.—F.W.R. An exceptionally fine type for coastal and inland plantings, both for home use and market. Not recommended for Bathurst district or similar tableland positions. Pkt., 6d.; $\frac{1}{4}$ oz., 1/-; oz., 3/-; $\frac{1}{4}$ lb., 10/-; lb., 30/-.

SUNNYBROOK EARLIANA.—● The best flavoured tomato. Produces large smooth fruits of great uniformity. Pkt., 6d.; $\frac{1}{4}$ oz., 1/-; oz., 3/-; $\frac{1}{4}$ lb., 10/-; lb., 30/-.

KEYSTONE.—A new variety which in our trials has shown great promise for early unstaked crops. Plants are compact and of determinate habit of growth, and may be planted in rows 3ft. apart, plants 27 inches in the row. Heavy yields of fine quality scarlet fruits. Pkt., 6d.; $\frac{1}{4}$ oz., 1/6; oz., 4/6.

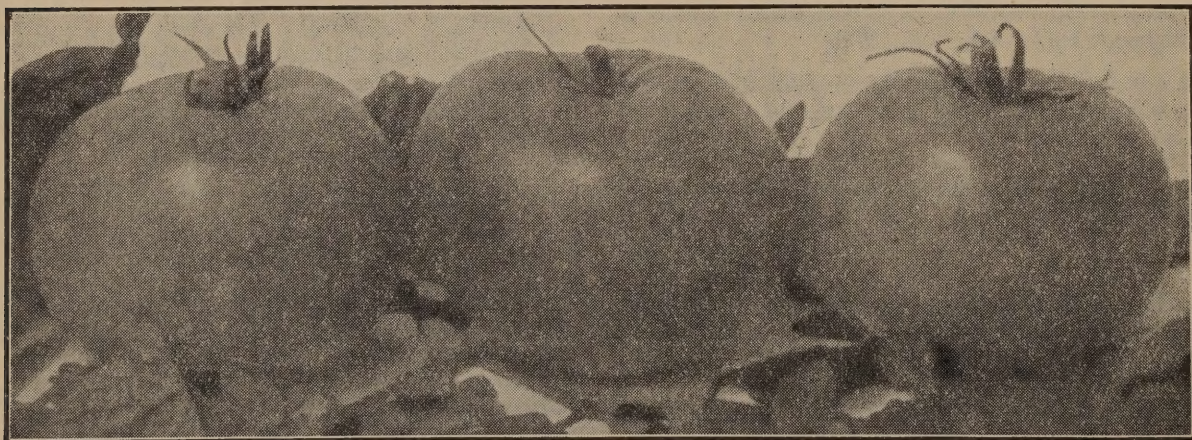
AUSTRALIAN EARLIANA.—Strain selected for yield. Quite distinct to our regular Sunnybrook. Saved under Government "pure seed" scheme. Pkt., 6d.; $\frac{1}{4}$ oz., 1/6; oz., 4/6; $\frac{1}{4}$ lb., 12/6.

EARLY PRIDE.—● A pink Earliana, but better than any Earliana, more even in shape and size. Pkt., 6d.; $\frac{1}{4}$ oz., 1/-; oz., 3/-; $\frac{1}{4}$ lb., 9/-; lb., 27/6.

BURBANK.—Most of the fruits are quite round and smooth. The flesh is firm and of good quality. Pkt., 6d.; $\frac{1}{4}$ oz., 1/-; oz., 3/-; $\frac{1}{4}$ lb., 10/-.

WALKER'S SELECTED RECRUIT.—Similar type to Helvetia—larger than Bide's Recruit. Pkt., 6d.; $\frac{1}{4}$ oz., 1/-; oz., 3/-; $\frac{1}{4}$ lb., 10/-.

ADELAIDE DWARF or CHINESE.—Popular glasshouse variety. This is the variety that is largely grown in South Australia for the early market. The colour is a bright red. Pkt., 6d.; $\frac{1}{4}$ oz., 1/6; oz., 4/6; $\frac{1}{4}$ lb., 12/6.



New Tomato—Keystone

SECOND EARLY TOMATOES

LOW BRANCH.—A recently introduced tomato, somewhat resembling Pritchard in habit of growth, shape and colour of fruit. Second early in maturity, producing heavy crops in some localities. Pkt., 6d.; $\frac{1}{4}$ oz., 1/6; oz., 4/6; $\frac{1}{4}$ lb., 12/6.

PRITCHARD.—F.W.R. Scarlet, medium sized smooth fruits. Vines short jointed and foliage dense. Pkt., 6d.; $\frac{1}{4}$ oz., 1/-; oz., 3/-; $\frac{1}{4}$ lb., 10/-.

BONNY BEST.—● An early smooth scarlet tomato of good size, solid, meaty, and of good flavour. A good cropper. Since we first introduced this tomato in 1915 its popularity has increased every year. It is now one of the most popular market varieties being the standard sort for Bathurst district. Pkt., 6d.; $\frac{1}{4}$ oz., 1/-; oz., 3/-; $\frac{1}{4}$ lb., 9/-; lb., 27/6.

CHALK'S EARLY JEWEL.—One of the best. Fruit, red, meaty. Very good cropper. Pkt., 6d.; $\frac{1}{4}$ oz., 1/-; oz., 3/-; $\frac{1}{4}$ lb., 10/-.

BURWOOD PRIZE.—Our specially selected strain of this tomato is very fine, yielding fine fruit. The potato leaved foliage makes it very handsome as a plant. Pkt., 6d.; $\frac{1}{4}$ oz., 1/-; oz., 3/-; $\frac{1}{4}$ lb., 10/-.

AUSTRALIAN LARGE RED.—Smooth. Our strain has been selected for freedom from excess roughness of shape usually associated with this variety. Sets well under cooler conditions than many other varieties. Pkt., 6d.; $\frac{1}{4}$ oz., 1/6; oz., 4/6; $\frac{1}{4}$ lb., 12/6.

MAIN-CROP TOMATOES

MARHIO or MARVELLOUS F.W.R.—

This is another selection from crosses made by the late Dr. Pritchard, and we believe it is destined to become very popular in places where a pink fruited tomato is favoured. The fruit are medium sized, firm and fleshy. True Marhio is a pink fruited variety and may be described as a pink Marglobe. Pkt., 6d.; $\frac{1}{4}$ oz., 1/-; oz., 3/-; $\frac{1}{4}$ lb., 10/-.

RED MARHIO, F.W.R.—● Somewhat similar to Break o' Day. Fruits are medium sized, mostly globe shaped, and have a scarlet skin with a slight pinkish tinge at certain stages of ripeness. Specially recommended for

coastal plantings and for trial in other districts. Pkt., 6d.; $\frac{1}{4}$ oz., 1/6; oz., 4/6; $\frac{1}{4}$ lb., 12/6.

COLOSSAL.—Is a large, red tomato, more prolific than Ponderosa, and of even large size, very solid, and free from core. Pkt., 6d.; $\frac{1}{4}$ oz., 1/3; oz., 3/6.

MARGLOBE.—● A variety specially bred for resistance to fusarium wilt. A main crop scarlet, smooth, solid and globe shaped. A very fine variety for market. Pkt., 6d.; $\frac{1}{4}$ oz., 1/-; oz., 3/-; $\frac{1}{4}$ lb., 10/-; lb., 30/-.

MATCHLESS.—● This is the largest and best of the late red tomatoes. It is a heavy cropper, and a good market variety, ripening very evenly if picked when commencing to change colour. Specimens frequently reach 12 to 18 ounces in weight. Pkt., 6d.; $\frac{1}{4}$ oz., 1/-; oz., 3/-; $\frac{1}{4}$ lb., 10/-; lb., 30/-.

PONDEROSA.—Very large rough variety. Pkt., 6d.; $\frac{1}{4}$ oz., 1/3; oz., 3/6; $\frac{1}{4}$ lb., 11/6.

LIVINGSTON'S STONE.—● Immense cropper, fine flavoured, bright red, perfectly smooth. Pkt., 6d.; $\frac{1}{4}$ oz., 1/-; oz., 3/-; $\frac{1}{4}$ lb., 10/-; lb., 30/-.

BURPEE'S DWARF GIANT.—A dwarf ponderosa, fruit large and meaty, rich purplish crimson. Pkt., 6d.; $\frac{1}{4}$ oz., 1/9; oz., 5/-; $\frac{1}{4}$ lb., 15/-.

OXHEART.—A large, meaty tomato, quite distinct from any other sort. Pkt., 6d.; $\frac{1}{4}$ oz., 1/9; oz., 5/-.

NORTON.—● F.W.R. Not unlike Livingston's Stone. Pkt., 6d.; $\frac{1}{4}$ oz., 1/-; oz., 3/-; $\frac{1}{4}$ lb., 10/-; lb., 30/-.

DENNISONIA.—F.W.R. A Queensland variety which is a prime favourite with growers in that State and largely used for shipping in early spring. Pkt., 6d.; $\frac{1}{4}$ oz., 1/9; oz., 5/-; $\frac{1}{4}$ lb., 15/-.

LIVINGSTON'S GOLDEN QUEEN.—● This is a fine, large, smooth variety of a bright yellow colour, and fine flavour. Pkt., 6d.; $\frac{1}{4}$ oz., 1/-; oz., 3/-.

LARGE FRUITED KINDS MIXED.—For home gardeners wanting a variety for small areas. Pkt., 6d.; oz., 2/6.

SMALL FRUITED TOMATOES

SMALL FRUITED MIXED.—A mixture of various small fruited kinds such as cherry, egg-shaped and pear-shaped tomatoes, red and yellow. Pkt., 6d.; $\frac{1}{4}$ oz., 1/3.

KING HUMBERT.—Immense bunches of prune-shaped fruit. Pkt., 6d.; $\frac{1}{4}$ oz., 1/-; oz., 3/-; $\frac{1}{4}$ lb., 10/-.

SWEDE TURNIPS

Special quote for larger quantities.

LAING'S GARDEN SWEDE—● Best and sweetest. A small swede for home use. Pkt., 6d.; oz., 1/-; $\frac{1}{2}$ lb., 1/6; lb., 4/6.

DANISH BANGHOLM—● The best flavoured and most nutritious of the swedes, purple top. Pkt., 6d.; oz., 1/-; $\frac{1}{2}$ lb., 1/3; lb., 3/6.

CHAMPION OR IMPERIAL PURPLE TOP—● Yellow flesh, good quality. Pkt., 6d.; $\frac{1}{2}$ lb., 1/-; lb., 3/-; 5 lbs., 11/6; 10 lbs., 21/-.

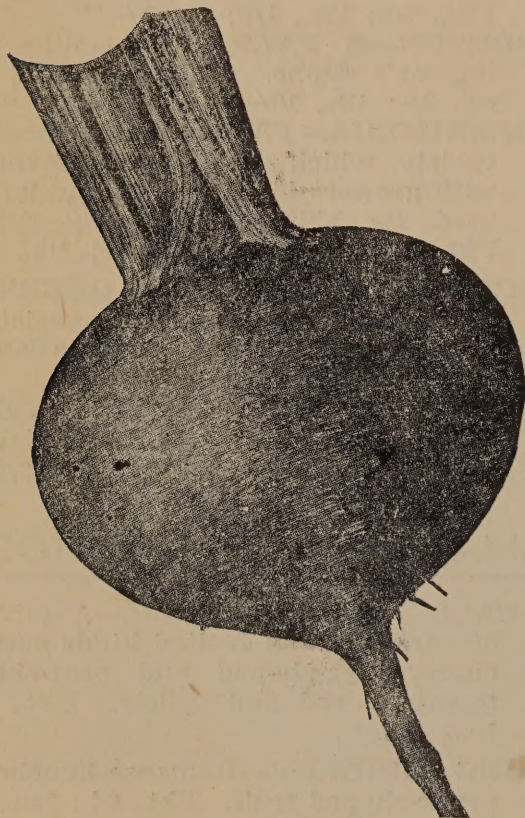
BATLOW CHAMPION—● A special selection of Champion Purple Top. Even heavy producing type. Pkt., 6d.; oz., 1/-; $\frac{1}{2}$ lb., 1/6; lb., 4/6; 5 lbs., 17/6.

TURNIPS

WHITE STONE—● Good early sort. Pkt., 6d.; oz., 1/-; $\frac{1}{2}$ lb., 1/3; lb., 3/6.

JERSEY LILY, or SNOWBALL—● Perfectly round, snow-white, and very early. Pkt., 6d.; oz., 1/-; $\frac{1}{2}$ lb., 1/3; lb., 3/6.

ORANGE JELLY—● The best of all this class turnip, flesh yellow, and not strong flavoured. Pkt., 6d.; oz., 1/-; $\frac{1}{2}$ lb., 1/3; lb., 3/6.



Vine Fruit

PASSION FRUIT

The passion fruit has become a very important commercial crop. As a money-maker the common passion planted out in frost-free localities, in late spring, for a winter crop is unrivalled. Our seed stock is the best available for this purpose.

COMMON PASSION (*Passiflora edulis*).

—Pkt., 6d.; oz., 1/6; $\frac{1}{2}$ lb., 5/-; lb., 15/-. Plants (from open ground), 6d. each; 3 for 1/-; 3/6 doz. Post. extra.

Special quotes for 100 lots.

BANANA PASSION (*Tacsonia molissima*).—This fine popular fruiting vine produces large crops of white fruit, that are greatly in demand for fruit salads. Pkt., 6d.; $\frac{1}{2}$ oz., 2/-.

Plants (pot grown), 1/- each; 11/- doz. Post. extra.

STRAWBERRY SEED

It is not always easy to get a good germination of strawberry seed. Sow on surface of fine soil in spring, cover lightly and keep evenly moist. All 6d. packet, post paid.

We have seed in stock of the following varieties.

Large Fruited, Mixed.

Alpine Bush, Red; Alpine Bush, White.

THE CHOKO

For mild climates only. This fruit is as easy to grow as a cucumber, and is used for many culinary purposes. May to August. 6d. each, 5/- dozen. Freight or postage extra. Packing and postage on one, 1/-.

Potatoes

Lawn Grasses and Farm Seeds

Where prices are given, they are **freight or postage extra**. For rates, see page 7. Owing to constantly fluctuating prices for farm seeds, we cannot quote prices in this, our Annual Catalogue, except for a few special lines.

We shall always be pleased to quote customers current rates by return mail. Our quotes include bags, but not freight.

SOMETHING SPECIAL IN SEED POTATOES

(See also Novelty Pages)

We have again made special arrangements to procure our stocks from crops free from diseases and of high average yield. It is to your advantage to procure the best. As supplies will be limited, order should be booked early to avoid disappointment. **Factors** (synonymous with **Up-To-Date**), **Early Rose**, **Manistee** and **Satisfaction**. Available from June.

LAWN GRASSES

6-lb. Seed required per 100 square yards.

We can supply heavily re-cleaned seeds specially for lawn as follows:

Lawn Couch—2/- lb.

Couch Grass Roots—12/6 sack.

Special Evergreen Lawn Mixtures—

Buffalo Grass (Roots only)—2/6 100;

17/6 1,000.

Kikuyu Grass (Roots only)—3/6 100;

25/- 1,000.

Agrostis tenuis—Creeping Bent grass.

PEAS AND BEANS

Field Peas, Grey; **Cow Pea**, Black; **Soy Beans**.

CLOVERS

Berseem, **Subterranean**, **White Dutch**.

HUNTER RIVER LUCERNE

BEST BROADLEAF GIANT

This is by far the most valuable fodder plant we have and should be grown everywhere. It requires lime and plenty of water to succeed. In fact, in few parts of Australia is there sufficient water from annual rainfall to get the best results this plant is capable of.

LUPIN

New Zealand Blue.—Excellent for green manuring; 3d. lb.; $\frac{1}{4}$ -bushel, 3/6; bushel (60lbs.), 12/6.

KALE

THOUSAND HEADED.—**CHOU MOLLIER**.

MANGOLD

LONG RED.—Best and most popular for stock feed.

MUSTARD

Finest White. For winter green feed, 1/- lb.

RAPE

BROADLEAVED ESSEX. — Excellent winter green feed for poultry.

SUNFLOWER

LARGE RUSSIAN.—Grown for birds, 1/6 lb.

TAGOSASTE

The so-called tree lucerne, $\frac{1}{4}$ lb., 1/6.

TARES AND VETCHES

PURPLE VETCH.—1/- lb.

When to Sow Flower Seeds

It is very difficult to state any definite dates for seed sowing as these vary according to districts and localities. Seasonal conditions are also so variable in most parts of Australia that considerable judgment has to be exercised in determining just the best time to sow each year.

To help beginners who have not had experience in their own locality we give the following climatic divisions. Different localities in these divisions or districts may vary considerably so experience of local gardeners is always a great help.

Coastal Districts (where oranges thrive).—Most parts of the County of Cumberland are typical of this division. Generally free from or only light frosts experienced.

Mountain Districts (where English fruits thrive).—Severe frosts are experienced in winter and summer temperature is mild.

Inland Districts.—Usually hot summers and cold winters.

Tropical (where tropical fruits thrive).—Districts free from frost with frequently heavy autumn rainfall.

In flower seed list in this catalogue letters after name of flower represent the following classes of plants and we hope suggestions made may help those intending to sow.

H.A.—Hardy Annual: In coastal districts autumn sowing generally gives best results but they may also be sown in July and August. Sow after rains in tropical districts. In mountain districts sow in spring or summer. Early autumn inland.

H.P.—Hardy Perennial: Sow in late summer or early autumn in coastal districts. Spring or summer in tableland districts. Late summer inland. In tropics many cool climate hardy perennials will not thrive.

T.P.—Tender Perennial: Plants for bush-house or verandah culture and susceptible to frost. Sow in spring. Not recommended for cold districts except under glass.

H.H.A.—Half Hardy Annual: Susceptible to frost injury but will grow in open garden in summer. Sow after frost danger is over in spring when soil is getting warm or under cover for early planting. In tropical districts sow after autumn rains.

T.A.—Tender Annual: Must be grown in the warm part of the year in all but tropical areas. Sow October or November in mountains. Late September to December on the coast and inland.

H.B.—Hardy Biennial: These plants frequently take two seasons to bloom from sowing. Treat same as hardy perennials.

Herb. P.—Herbaceous Perennial: Plants which die down to the ground each winter, coming up from crown again in spring. Sow late summer or early autumn on coast and inland. Earlier in summer in tableland districts.

Flower Seeds

LEAFLET ON HOW TO RAISE SEEDLINGS ON REQUEST

We shall be pleased to quote Special Rates to Cut Flower Growers and Nurserymen for larger quantities than listed.

Abronia, H.P. (Trailer).

Verbena-like flowers, sweet scented. Sometimes called "Sand verbena." Pkt., 6d.; $\frac{1}{2}$ oz., 1/.

Acroclinium, H.A.

Double Mixed—Mainly pink and white "Everlasting" flowers on plants growing to 15 inches. Pkt., 3d.; $\frac{1}{2}$ oz., 1/.

Ageratum, H.P. (Border Plant).

Blue Cap—Very dwarf compact dome-shaped plants covered for a greater part of the year with dense heads of rich blue flowers. Grows 8 inches high. Ideal for bedding. Pkt., 6d.; $\frac{1}{2}$ oz., 2/6; $\frac{1}{2}$ oz., 4/6.
Mexicanum Tall Blue—Showy plants growing up to two feet in height, with clusters of bright blue flowers. Pkt., 3d.; $\frac{1}{2}$ oz., 1/; oz., 2/6.

Amaranthus, T.A. (Foliage Plant).

Tricolour (Joseph's Coat)—Yellow, red and green. Pkt., 3d.; $\frac{1}{2}$ oz., 1/.

Salicifolius—(Fountain plant). Pkt., 3d.; $\frac{1}{2}$ oz., 1/.

Coleus Leaved—Very brilliant colours. Pkt., 3d.; $\frac{1}{2}$ oz., 1/.

Combustion—The latest and most showy of all the Amaranthus tribe, with iridescent fiery rosy crimson foliage. Pkt., 6d.; $\frac{1}{2}$ oz., 4/.

Alyssum, H. A. (Sweet Alice).

Little Gem—Bedding Plant, white, fragrant. Pkt., 3d.; $\frac{1}{2}$ oz., 1/.

Lilac Queen—Beautiful soft lilac flowers changing to white as they age. A free and continuous bloomer of trailing habit. Pkt., 6d.; $\frac{1}{2}$ oz., 1/6; oz., 4/6.

Compact Yellow—Fine for edging. Perennial. Pkt., 3d.; $\frac{1}{2}$ oz., 1/.

Anemone, H.P. (Windflower).

Choicest Mixed—A mixture of all the best types. Pkt., 6d.; $\frac{1}{2}$ oz., 1/9; oz., 5/6.

St. Brigid Mixed—Very select strain. Pkt., 1/; $\frac{1}{2}$ oz., 7/6.

Aquilegia, H.P. (Columbine).

Mrs. Scott Elliot Hybrids—An exceptionally fine free blooming strain of varied colours. Pkt., 1/; 1-16 oz., 2/6.

Long-Spurred Hybrids—Wonderful profusion of colours from blue to chocolate, pink and scarlet. Pkt., 6d.; $\frac{1}{2}$ oz., 4/.

Arctotis, H.A.

Scapigera Mixed—Large blooms of this African Daisy in many bright colours. Pkt., 1/.

Grandis—White, centre blue, bud lilac-blue. About two feet high, stands dry weather. Pkt., 3d.; $\frac{1}{2}$ oz., 1/.

Asparagus

Sprengeri—Coarse fronds. Pkt., 6d.

Plumosa Nana—Dwarf fine fronds. Pkt., 6d.

Balsam, T.A. (Ladies' Slipper).

Defiance—The finest strain of large double flowers. Good for borders or verandah plants. Pkt., 6d.; $\frac{1}{2}$ oz., 1/; oz., 2/6.

Begonia, T.P.

See also Novelties.

Bedding Mixed—Beautiful ever-blooming herbaceous plant, suitable for bush-house or verandah. Pkt., 6d.; 1-16 oz., 2/.

Bellis Perennis, H.P.

Finest Double Mixed—English Daisies. Does well in cool climates. Pkt., 6d.; $\frac{1}{2}$ oz., 2/.

Boronia, H.P. (Scented). 1s.

Megastigma—The well-known Brown Scented Boronia, sometimes called "Melbourne Boronia" though it is a W. Australian native.

Browallia demissa

A useful bedding plant, carrying freely a fine head of deep sky-blue flowers. Stands hot weather well. 1/ packet; 1-16 oz. 2/6; 1-8 oz. 4/6.

Carnations, H.P.

The giant ever-blooming Carnations are unexcelled for bedding where a bright show is desired at a minimum of cost. Best treated as annuals but may be grown on for several years.

Enfant de Nice—The result of crossing Improved Chabaud and Perpetual varieties. This is the last word in annual carnations. Many flowers are 2½ inches across and about 90 per cent. are doubles. Pkt., 1/; 1-16 oz., 2/; $\frac{1}{2}$ oz., 3/6; $\frac{1}{2}$ oz., 6/6.

Chabaud Giant Improved—A new carnation of the marguerite type, coming into bloom 6 months from seed and producing very large flowers highly clove scented. About 90 per cent. of the flowers come double. Pkt., 6d.; $\frac{1}{2}$ oz., 1/6; $\frac{1}{2}$ oz., 2/6; oz., 7/6.



CHABAUD GIANT IMPROVED

Antirrhinum (Snapdragons)

Another Rumsey Speciality



Giant Rust-Resisting Mixed

Antirrhinum rust is spreading rapidly to all parts of the world, causing havoc in gardens. Although not yet reported as having occurred in Australia, it is in the interest of growers that we should get in early with resistant strains before it does make its appearance.

The strain was originated by the University of California and shows 75 per cent. resistance to rust.

Varieties resistant to rust are marked R.R.

TALL LARGE-FLOWERING GIANTS.

Pkt., 6d.; $\frac{1}{8}$ oz., 1/6; $\frac{1}{4}$ oz., 2/9; oz., 8/6.

A magnificent strain of this very useful flower. The spikes of bloom are tall and the immense florets are set closely together. The colours are vivid and very varied.

Growers in coastal districts must expect shorter stems from spring sowings than from late summer and autumn sowings.

Alaska, R.R.—A beautiful white of good form and colour.

Fireflame.—A particularly bright new colour. Fiery Red, suffused orange scarlet.

Apple Blossom, R.R., Delicate pink; **Sunnybrook**, blend of deep golden yellow, salmon and light orange; **Fordhook Rose**, very bright rose pink; **Canary Bird, R.R.**, very showy bright yellow; **Orchid**, mauve-pink; **Ruby**, glowing deep red; **Wall-flower**, rich coppery crimson and yellow.

Floradale—Salmon rose.

Fairy Charm—Striped and splashed.

Giant Mixture—A blend of the best colours.

Rust-Resisting Mixed.—Good range of popular colours.

COLLECTION OF TALL LARGE-FLOWERED GIANTS

1 Pkt. of each 11 kinds for 4/-.

MAJESTIC SEMI-TALL

Pkt., 6d.; 1-16 oz., 2/-; $\frac{1}{8}$ oz., 3/-; $\frac{1}{4}$ oz., 5/-; oz., 15/-.

These produce giant flowers on half dwarf stems. For florists' work they are unexcelled.

Avalanche.—A welcome addition to this wonderful class of snapdragons. Clear white, of wonderful size and form.

Dawn o' Day.—Large flowers placed compactly on stems. Open a light rose pink changing quickly to a pure apricot, slightly suffused gold towards the centre. Make a charming colour effect when planted in masses in beds or borders.

Eldorado.—Beautiful golden yellow. Excellent for cutting or garden.

Red Chief.—Large sized scintillating deep scarlet crimson blooms. Keeps colour well.

Evensong.—Dense shapely spikes of a charming combination of chamois pink apricot and buff.

Rosella.—Magnificent spikes of well formed blooms of a beautiful rose shade. **Majestic Delight**, salmon pink shading to apricot; **Majestic Sunset**, shades from bright terra-cotta to lovely salmon; **Majestic Twilight**, delicate apricot with gold centre and salmon shading; **Majestic Orange King**, a lovely blend of rich terra-cotta shades; **Majestic Mixed**.

MAJESTIC COLLECTION

1 Pkt. of each 9 colours for 3/6.

DWARF VARIETIES

Dwarf Mixed.—Compact habit, brilliant flowers. Good for bedding and rock gardens. Pkt., 6d.; $\frac{1}{8}$ oz., 2/6; $\frac{1}{4}$ oz., 4/6.

ANTIRRHINUM—(Contd.)**INTERMEDIATE VARIETIES.**

Pkt., 6d.; 1-16 oz., 2/-; $\frac{1}{2}$ oz., 3/-; $\frac{1}{4}$ oz., 5/-, except where stated.

White Rock.—An immense flower of exquisite texture, pure white.

Winter Helen.—One of the finest new snapdragons introduced for many years. Charming salmon pink and early flowering.

Gay Gordon.—Standard is bronze cerise, lower lip scarlet and gold, throat white. A particularly gay subject for bedding and borders.

Lemon Queen.—Large spikes of well formed yellow or primrose flowers, makes a wonderful show.

Ruddy Glow.—Glowing orange scarlet blooms of great size and quality.

Royal Purple.—Quite an unusual shade of bright purple. Very striking.

Nelrose.—Fine rose pink shade, excellent for cutting. Pkt., 6d.; $\frac{1}{2}$ oz., 1/6; $\frac{1}{4}$ oz., 2/6.

HALF DWARF COLLECTION
1 Pkt. each of 7 separate colours
for 2/9.

Half Dwarf—Special Fancy Mixed.—The half-dwarf varieties are about the best for bedding and bordering purposes, and produce stems of flowers long enough for cutting, though not as large as the giant varieties. Our mixture contains a wonderful variety of shade and colour. Pkt., 6d.; 1-16 oz., 2/-; $\frac{1}{2}$ oz., 3/-; $\frac{1}{4}$ oz., 5/-.

Half Dwarf—Mixed.—A popular low-priced mixture containing many glorious colours. Pkt., 3d.; $\frac{1}{2}$ oz., 1/6; oz., 4/6.

Calliopsis, H.A. (Coreopsis).

Grandiflora—Double Sunburst.—Quite an improvement on the old single Coreopsis. Nice shade of pure yellow flowers. $1\frac{1}{2}$ to 2 inches across. Last well in water. Pkt., 6d.; $\frac{1}{2}$ oz., 2/6.

Tinctoria.—Mixture of brown, yellow and mahogany shades. Pkt., 3d.; $\frac{1}{2}$ oz., 1/-.

Fine single flowers for cutting, blooms for many months. Plant out in shaded positions.

Calendula, H.A. (English Marigold).

Orange Shaggy.—Entirely distinct. Beautifully fringed, long narrow petals. Flowers large and flat of rich orange colour shading towards the centre. Pkt., 6d.; oz., 1/6.

Art Shades.—Contains a great range of picotees, orange, cream and apricot shades. Pkt., 6d.; oz., 1/6.

Chrysantha or Sunshine.—Large bright golden yellow flowers, petals somewhat resembling chrysanthemum. Pkt., 6d.; oz., 1/6.

Golden Beam.—Fine golden yellow form of the quilled petalled "Radio" type. Pkt., 6d.; oz., 1/6.

Campfire.—Brilliant orange with crimson or scarlet sheen. Pkt., 6d.; oz., 1/6.

Radio.—Quilled petals—quite a novelty, deep orange in colour. Pkt., 6d.; oz., 1/6.

Orange King.—Special Florists' strain. Rich orange flowers, fully double, well rounded. Pkt., 6d.; $\frac{1}{2}$ oz., 1/-; oz., 2/6.

Double Special Mixed.—A mixture of all the best types and colours. Pkt., 3d.; oz., 1/-.

Candytuft, H.A.

Giant Hyacinth Flowered.—Magnificent spikes of pure white flowers. Pkt., 3d.; $\frac{1}{2}$ oz., 1/-; oz., 2/6.

Umbellata.—Fine type, excellent for bedding and cutting. Available in colours, carmine, dark crimson, flesh, lilac, rose cardinal, white, also mixed. Pkt., 3d.; $\frac{1}{2}$ oz., 1/-; oz., 2/-.



CALENDULA—ORANGE SHAGGY

ASTERS

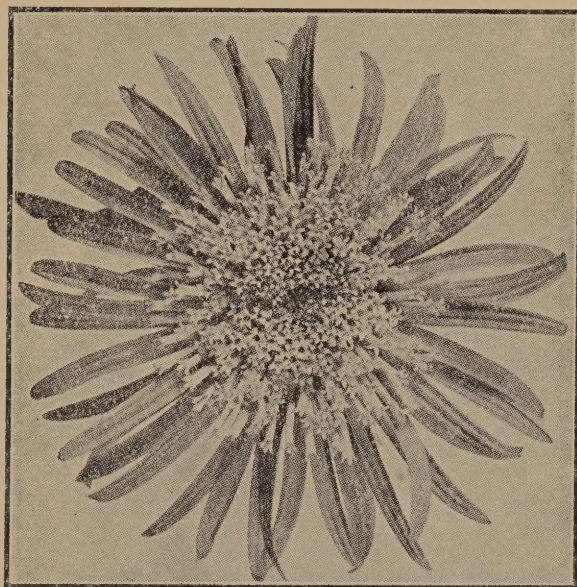
Asters are one of our specialities. Our strains are found on the show benches throughout the Commonwealth, for size and quality of bloom there are none better.

Sow Aster seeds as soon as frost danger is over and in mild climates up to December. It is harder to germinate Aster seeds in midsummer when soil is hot than during mild spring weather. Plant out in fairly rich well-drained soil and water regularly.

ASTER WILT.—Varieties marked (F.W.R.) have been grown from *Fusarium* wilt-resisting stock.

Giant California Sunshine Mixed.—

The colour in these new Asters is startlingly beautiful. A dual-tone effect is obtained through the contrasting tints of the disc-like centre and the outer or guard petals. Gracefulness of form is a distinguishing characteristic. The full centres of tubular, bifurcate petals surround the centre, creating an airy, lace-like effect, which is altogether charming. In colour the flowers may be described as varying shades of Enchantress-pink. Apple-blossom, Deep-rose, Blue and Lavender, but the disc, sometimes light yellow, sometimes blue, brings additional variety in tint. Pkt., 6d.; $\frac{1}{2}$ oz., 3/6.



CALIFORNIAN SUNSHINE.

Boronia Mixture.—A mixture of all kinds for folks who require a bed of mixed types for cutting. Pkt., 6d.; $\frac{1}{2}$ oz., 2/-; oz., 5/6.

AMERICAN BEAUTY COLLECTION

1 Packet each of Six Separate Colours for 2/-.

Super Giant El Monte.—Large blooms with beautifully curled and interlaced petals. Flowers are crimson and borne on long strong stems. Pkt., 6d.; $\frac{1}{2}$ oz., 3/6.

Super Giant Los Angeles.—Enormous blooms of the Californian Giant type, but larger and earlier. Flowers are a pure shell pink. Pkt., 6d.; $\frac{1}{2}$ oz., 3/6.

Crego Giant, F.W.R.—Best for early sowings. Very vigorous, producing large blooms on long stems.

Crego flowers keep well, and are very fine for table decorations. The petals are curled and twisted like chrysanthemums. The colours are: Shell pink, rose, blue flame, white, purple, crimson, and Mixed. Pkt., 6d.; $\frac{1}{2}$ oz., 2/-; oz., 6/-.

CREGO COLLECTION

1 Packet each of Six Separate Colours for 2/-.

Improved California Giants (Curled and interlaced, special strain).—This is an extra robust strain. It is noted for its immense flowers on long stems. The colours offered are peach blossom, deep rose, light blue, white, dark purple, light purple, and Mixed. Pkt., 6d.; $\frac{1}{2}$ oz., 3/6.; oz., 10/6.

CALIFORNIA GIANT COLLECTION

1 Packet each of Six Separate Colours for 2/6.

American Beauty, F.W.R. (Extra special strain).—Distinct type, they are more dahlia-like in form, and make a fine rounded bush from 2½ to 3 feet in diameter. They are, most of them, much later than other varieties of aster, and come into bloom after the others have finished. The wonderfully fine blooms are carried on strong stems, making them invaluable for cut flowers. The colours are: Deep rose, purple, shell pink, white, azure, crimson, and Mixed. Pkt., 6d.; $\frac{1}{2}$ oz., oz., 7/6.

ASTER (Contd.)

American Late Branching, F.W.R.—A splendid upright growing type, 2 to 3 feet tall, branching freely, forming fully double large round blooms, almost globular. Very fine for cutting. The colours are: Azure, crimson, deep rose, peach blossom, shell pink, purple, scarlet, white, and Mixed. Pkt., 6d.; $\frac{1}{2}$ oz., 2/-.

Heart of France (New Wilt-Resisting Strain).—A ruby-red aster, flowers of excellent size and perfect formation. Flowering on long and strong stems. Plant two feet high. Pkt., 1/-; $\frac{1}{2}$ oz., 4/6.

Campanula, H.B. (Canterbury Bells).

Annual Mixed.—Blooms from seed in less than six months. A great acquisition for warm climate conditions. Plants are hardy and can be grown at almost any time of the year. Mixture includes dark blue, light blue, pink, rose, and white. Pkt., 6d.; $\frac{1}{2}$ oz., 2/-.

Single Mixed.—Various colours; free bloomers. Pkt., 3d.; $\frac{1}{2}$ oz., 1/-.

Double Mixed.—Very showy. Pkt., 6d.; $\frac{1}{2}$ oz., 2/-.

Canna, Herb. P. (Indian Shot). 6d.

Choice Mixed.—Handsome ornamental foliage plants. A fine assortment may be grown from seed.

CLARKIA COLLECTIONS
1 Packet each Eight Separate Colours
for 3/-.



DOUBLE CLARKIA

Clarkia, H.A.

Choicest Double.—Separate colours: Firebrand, La France, pale salmon pink; Ruby King; Enchantress, salmon pink; Illumination; Chieftain, mauve; Scarlet Queen; White Queen; and Mixed. Pkt., 6d.; $\frac{1}{2}$ oz., 1/-; $\frac{1}{2}$ oz., 1/6.

Celosia, T.A.

See also Novelties.

Fire Feather.—One of the finest dwarf bedding plants for summer introduced for many years. Compact plants producing 15 to 20 silky plumed heads of dazzling crimson. Good for pots, window boxes or bedding. Pkt., 1/-; 1-16 oz., 2/6.

Golden Feather.—A deep yellow flowered form of above. Pkt., 1/-; 1-16 oz., 2/6.

Magnificent.—Each branch or stem of this beautiful shrub is tipped with a pointed head of richly coloured bloom which later develops into a loose, plumed head of the most brilliant colours; shades of orange and yellow, pink, scarlet and crimson. Pkt., 6d.; $\frac{1}{2}$ oz., 1/6.

Childsii or Chinese Woolflower.—Beautiful ball-like heads of flower produced in profusion. Pink, crimson and yellow mixed. Pkt., 6d.; $\frac{1}{2}$ oz., 1/6.

Magnifica Cristata.—Immense velvety heads, very suitable for borders. Cockscomb type. Pkt., 6d.; $\frac{1}{2}$ oz., 2/-.

Centaurea, H.A.

Sow where required; do not transplant.

Imperialis.—Beautiful for cut flowers; plants three feet high. Graceful and beautiful. Fine mixture. Pkt., 6d.; $\frac{1}{2}$ oz., 1/-.

Americana.—Unique, thistle-like flowers, light lilac colour; very desirable for table decorations. Pkt., 6d.; $\frac{1}{2}$ oz., 1/-.

Cyanus (Corn Flower) Double Blue Boy.—Pkt., 3d.; $\frac{1}{2}$ oz., 1/-; oz., 2/6.

Double Mixed. 3d.; oz., 1/-.

Chrysanthemum, H.A. and H.P.

The results of growing the double Chinese and Japanese Chrysanthemum from seed are usually so poor that we advise customers to purchase plants of named sorts.

The following varieties, however, give good results from seed:

Mawii.—A new perennial with rich pink single flowers 2 inches across. Ideal for borders or rock-garden. Height, 1-ft. Silvery foliage. Pkt., 1/-.

Tricolour, Annual.—Single "Painted Daisies." Pkt., 3d.; $\frac{1}{2}$ oz., 1/-.

Maximum (Shasta Daisy).—Perennial plants, bearing large white flowers. Pkt., 6d.; $\frac{1}{2}$ oz., 1/6.

Maximum (Shasta Daisy), Giant Double White.—Large blooms carried on long wiry stems. Varies from double, semi-double to single in various forms of fringed and quilled petals. Pkt., 2/6.

Cinerariaefolium.—Pyrethrum or Insect Powder Plant of Commerce. Pkt., 6d.; $\frac{1}{2}$ oz., 1/-; oz., 3/-.

Cilanthus

Dampierii.—This is the well-known Desert Pea. Its huge, unique flowers are particularly striking. Pkt., 1/6.

Cineraria

These were at one time looked upon as plants for the greenhouse, but in our genial coastal climate they make fine bedding plants.

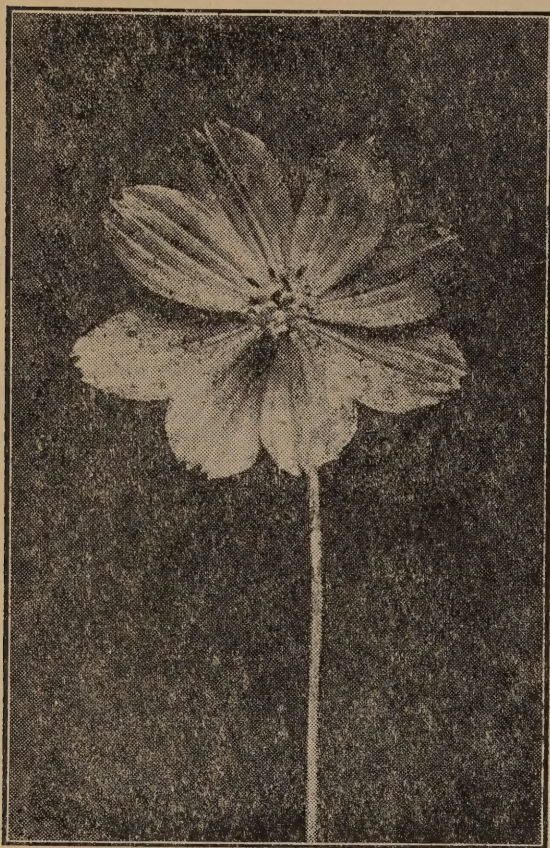
Hybrida Choice Mixed.—Seed from a very fine collection of this beautiful flowering plant. Pkt., 1/-; 1-16 oz., 4/-.

Coleus, T.A.

These also do as well in the garden, especially during summer, but as pot and house plants they may be grown indoors or on sheltered verandahs during the winter.

Fine Mixed.—Various colours. Pkt., 6d.; 1-16 oz., 2/6.

Fancy Fringed.—Beautiful large leaves, cut and fringed on the borders. Pkt., 1/-.



COSMOS—EARLY GOLDEN

Cosmos, H.A.

Early Golden—An early golden orange cosmos coming into bloom in 3 months from seed. May be sown in January or February in coastal districts for Autumn blooms. Pkt., 6d.; $\frac{1}{2}$ oz., 2/6.

Early Double Crown—The flowers come in all types of doubles and semi-doubles, some like miniature dahlias, others like asters, and any of them forming the daintiest decorative flowers imaginable. Some of the best of these set so few seeds that it is almost impossible to reproduce them in quantities sufficient to offer separately. Pkt., 6d.; $\frac{1}{2}$ oz., 2/6.

Cyclamen, P.B.

Persicum Giganteum Mixed—Beautiful verandah plants. Pkt., 1/.

Dahlia (Perennial Root).

Sow in spring. As dahlias very seldom come true from seeds, the following varieties indicate the types from which seeds are saved. The resulting blooms will usually show a good deal of variation from parent types, and are, therefore, more interesting. Most of them will bloom the first year from seeds, but may show a marked improvement if bulbs are saved for the second year.

Decorative Mixed—Choice strain; best types. Pkt., 1/; 1-16 oz., 3/; $\frac{1}{2}$ oz., 5/.

Pom Pom—Small, neat, double flowered. Pkt., 1/; 1-16oz., 3/; $\frac{1}{2}$ oz., 5/.

Boronia Mixed—All types in mixture. Pkt., 6d.; 1-16 oz., 2/; $\frac{1}{2}$ oz., 3/6.

Diaseia Barbarae, H.P.

A lovely dwarf plant with flower spikes 12 to 18 inches high. Rose pink blossoms with tint of salmon. Yellow throat dotted with apple green. Pkt., 1/; 1-16 oz., 2/6.

Daisy (see Bellis Perennis).**Delphinium, H.P. (Perennial Larkspur).**

Most beautiful spikes of flowers, ranging from white through all shades of blue to the deepest indigo, some of them with shadings of bronze. Extreme care must be taken with germination moisture, or failure will result.

As delphinium seed frequently loses viability it is advisable to sow within three or four months of new seed being available.

Hollyhock Strain Mixed—Wonderful type with stately spikes of large single, semi-double and double blooms. New seed September. Pkt., 2/; 1-8oz., 6/.

Belladonna Improved—The best clear blue delphinium for florists' work. Pkt., 1/6; 1-8oz., 5/.

Gold Medal Mixture—A splendid assortment, including the fine indigo blues, as well as the lighter colours. New seed September and March. Pkt., 1/; $\frac{1}{2}$ oz., 3/6; oz., 10/6.

Chinensis Cambridge Blue—A new clear, belladonna blue flowered variety, growing to about 3ft. Pkt., 1/; $\frac{1}{2}$ oz., 3/; $\frac{1}{2}$ oz., 5/.

Chinensis Blue Butterfly Improved—Dark blue dwarf variety, 1ft. Pkt., 6d.; $\frac{1}{2}$ oz., 3/.

Chinensis Azure Fairy, dwarf light blue, 1ft. Pkt., 6d.; $\frac{1}{2}$ oz., 3/.

Chinensis Tall Dark Blue, 3ft. Pkt., 6d.; $\frac{1}{2}$ oz., 1/6; oz., 4/6.

New seed of Chinensis types ready December.

Dianthus, H.A. and P. (Pinks).

Some of the old favourite pinks have been improved, and new ones added to the list, making a wonderful variety of these deliciously scented flowers.

Highland Hybrids Mixed—Large single flowers in crimson, salmon, rose, pink and white, beautifully marked and zoned. Grows 18 inches. Excellent for bedding. Pkt., 1/; $\frac{1}{2}$ oz., 2/6.

Rock Garden Mixed (Rare Species)—A wonderful mixture for rock gardens including *D. caucasicus*, *D. collinus*, *D. arenarius*, *D. sequeieri*, *D. Grisebachii*, *D. orbiculus*, *D. rupicola* and many other rare species. Pkt., 1/; 1-16oz., 3/.

Allwoodii—A recent English introduction of perennial double carnation-like dianthus, that blooms right through the season. All the flowers, which are of many colours, are deliciously scented. Pkt., 2/.

Lacinatus Double Mixed—Deeply fringed petals, two or three inches across; blotched and fringed. Pkt., 3d.; $\frac{1}{2}$ oz., 1/.

Chinensis Double Mixed—Clusters of small flowers mostly edged with white. Pkt., 3d.; $\frac{1}{2}$ oz., 1/.

Fordhook Favourites—An American selection of the largest and best single and double flowers. Pkt., 3d.; $\frac{1}{2}$ oz., 1/.

Didiscus (Blue Lace Flower), H.H.A.

Coeruleus—A native of Western Australia. Very dainty. Pkt., 6d.; $\frac{1}{2}$ oz., 2/6.

Digitalis, H.P. (Foxglove). 3d.; $\frac{1}{2}$ oz., 1/.

Fine Mixed—Immense spikes carrying a solid mass of beautifully spotted flowers.

Dimorphotheca, H.A.

African Daisy Hybrids—A mixture of various shades and colours. Pkt., 6d.; $\frac{1}{2}$ oz., 2/.

Eschscholtzia (California Poppy).

Sunset Mixture—A blend of all the most recent colours and shades, including orange-king, rose cardinal, scarlet and yellow, yellow and orange-red, primrose and pure white. Beautiful new colours. Pkt., 3d.; $\frac{1}{2}$ oz., 1/.

Freesia (Hardy Bulb). 6d.

Lorenziana Hybrids, Mixed—A beautiful selection of colour. Easily grown. Pkt., 6d.; $\frac{1}{2}$ oz., 2/.

Forget-Me-Not, H.A. (Myosotis).

Myosotis Palustris—The true Forget-Me-Not. Pkt., 1/; $\frac{1}{2}$ oz., 2/6.

Gaillardia, H.P. (Blanket Flower).

Portola Hybrids—A new type of Gaillardia, golden yellow, marked with rich scarlet. Strong growth; free flowering. Pkt., 6d.; $\frac{1}{2}$ oz., 1/-; oz., 2/-.

Picta Lorenziana—Large, gay-coloured double flowers. Pkt., 3d.; $\frac{1}{2}$ oz., 1/-.

Fine Mixed—Large single flowers in blendings of red scarlet, yellow and orange. Pkt., 3d.; $\frac{1}{2}$ oz., 1/-.

Geranium, H.P. (See Pelargonium).**Geum, H.P.**

Mrs. Bradshaw—A pretty perennial with orange-scarlet flowers. Pkt., 6d.; 1-16oz., 1/6.

Lady Strathden—Beautiful semi-double bright yellow flowers carried on well branching plants. Pkt., 6d.; 1-16oz., 2/-.

Godetia, H.A.

Tall Double—Double azalea-like flowers on long stems, excellent for cutting. Carmine, soft pink carmine blotched; cherry red; flesh pink; crimson; mauve; rosy morn and mixed. Pkt., 6d.; $\frac{1}{2}$ oz., 1/-; oz., 3/-.

Sybil Sherwood—Tall, growing to about 20 inches. Salmon pink; tinted orange, white edges. Pkt., 6d.; $\frac{1}{2}$ oz., 2/-; oz., 5/6.

GODETIA COLLECTION
1 Packet each six separate colours
for 2/-

Dwarf Finest Mixed—Charming annuals with flowers like azaleas in lovely shades of rose, carmine, pink, and white. Pkt., 3d.; $\frac{1}{2}$ oz., 1/-.

Gladiolus (Hardy Bulb).

Fordhook Hybrids—A most glorious collection of these beautiful flowers. We have flowered them in four months, from seed; most of the seedlings flower the first year, but the blooms improve in the second year. We could occupy a whole page in describing these flowers without doing full justice to them. Pkt., 6d.; $\frac{1}{2}$ oz., 1/6; oz., 4/6.

Gypsophylla, H.A. (Baby's Breath).

Elegans Mixed—Pkt., 3d.; oz., 2/-.

Elegans Covent Garden—Sprays of wee, white flowers used for making up bunches of sweet peas and other flowers. Pkt., 3d.; oz., 1/-; $\frac{1}{2}$ lb., 2/-; lb., 6/-.

Gomphrena (Globe Amaranth).

Globosa, Mixed—Purple everlasting flowers, often used for edging. Pkt., 3d.; $\frac{1}{2}$ oz., 1/-.

Heliotrope, H.P. (Cherry Pie).

Lemoine's Giant Hybrid—Of wonderful size and rare beauty. Colours from white through all shades of violet and blue to deep indigo. Pkt., 1/-; 1-16oz., 2/6.

Hellanthus (Sunflower).

New Red—Chestnut red, tipped with yellow. Pkt., 3d.; $\frac{1}{2}$ oz., 1/-.

Chrysanthemum Flowered—Perfectly double. Pkt., 3d.; $\frac{1}{2}$ oz., 1/-.

Miniature—Useful for cut flowers. Pkt., 3d.; $\frac{1}{2}$ oz., 1/-.

Large Russian—Pkt., 3d. For large lots, see Farm Seeds.

Helychrysium, H.A. (Everlasting).

Monstrosum, Mixed—Hardy, free-blooming useful. Pkt., 3d.; $\frac{1}{2}$ oz., 1/6.

Hibiscus, H.P.

Giant Mixed—Moscheutos hybrids are very hardy and form large flowers on canes, 4 to 6 feet long. Bloom throughout summer. Pkt., 6d.; $\frac{1}{2}$ oz., 2/-.

Hunnemania, H.P. (Santa Barbara

Poppy).

Sunlite, Semi-Double—Large tulip-shaped blooms, clear canary yellow. Grows 2 feet tall. Pkt., 6d.; $\frac{1}{2}$ oz., 1/6; oz., 4/6.



LARKSPUR—TALL BRANCHING

Hollyhock, H.P.

Begonia Flowered, Mixed—These fine perennials carry large double crested blooms which are a decided advance on the older types. Pkt., 1/-; $\frac{1}{2}$ oz., 3/-.

Chaters Double—Beautiful long spikes, crowded with double flowers, three to four inches across all of the brightest colours. White, light pink, maroon, rose, scarlet and yellow mixed. Pkt., 6d.; $\frac{1}{2}$ oz., 1/6.

Single Mixed—Pkt., 3d.; $\frac{1}{2}$ oz., 1/-.

Iris (Hardy Bulb). 6d.

Kaempferi—The beautiful Japanese Iris.

Kochia, H.A. (Mexican Fire Plant).

Giant Christmas—A large bunchy form, staying green much longer. Pkt., 3d.; $\frac{1}{2}$ oz., 1/-; oz., 1/6.

Lavandula (Lavender).

Vera—True lavender. Pkt., 6d.; $\frac{1}{2}$ oz., 1/6.

Spica—Spiked lavender. Pkt., 6d.; $\frac{1}{2}$ oz., 1/-.

Larkspur, H.A.

Sow in the garden where required during late autumn or early spring.

Tall Branching Mixed—The branching spikes are thickly set with fine double flowers in varied colours. Pkt., 3d.; oz., 1/6.

Giant Imperial—Upright or Delphinium form. The old larkspur with its rather straggly flower spikes has never been very popular as a cut flower but by careful breeding and selection new varieties have been evolved which are a great improvement. The colours are more varied and the individual florets larger and more beautiful. We can supply Dark Blue Spire, Lilac Spire, White Spire, Los Angeles (brilliant rose), The Empress (salmon rose), Carmine King and Special Mixed. Pkt., 6d.; $\frac{1}{2}$ oz., 1/-; oz., 3/-.



MARIGOLD—DIXIE SUNSHINE

Lobelia, H.A. (Edging Plant).

Erinum Crystal Palace—Pretty blue flowered edging or bedding plants. Pkt., 6d.; 1-16oz., 2/-; ½oz., 3/6.

Lobelia, H.P.

Cardinalis—Large blooms of flaming scarlet on long stems. Pkt., 1/-.

Lilium (Bulb).

Regale—Royal lily of Thibet. White flowers flushed canary in throat with pink reverse to petals. Large blooms and many to each stem. Easily grown. Pkt., 6d.; ½oz., 2/6; oz., 7/6.

Linaria, H.A. (Toad Flax).

Excelsior Mixed—New hybrids of this remarkable Lobelia-like flower. Pkt., 3d.; ½oz., 1/-.

Lupin, H.A. and P.

Luteus Romulus—Yellow. Sweetly perfumed. Canary yellow. Dwarf growing. Pkt., 6d.; ½oz., 1/3; oz., 3/6.

New Hybrids Mixed—Represents the latest improvement in perennial lupins. Long spikes of bloom in many colours. Pkt., 6d.; ½oz., 1/6.

Annuals Mixed—Fine for cutting. Pkt., 3d.; oz., 1/-.

Cruickshanki Blue—Long spike, medium growth, good cutting variety. Pkt., 6d.; oz., 2/-; ½lb., 6/-.

GIANT PEARL LUPINS.

Pkt., 6d.; oz., 1/-; ½lb., 2/-; lb., 6/-.

Pink Pearl—One of the best things in cut flower line we have ever introduced. Sown about February, this beautiful annual will flower right through the winter in all but the colder localities.

Blue Pearl—Similar in size and form to the Pink Pearl, but blue in colour.

Mixed—Pink, Blue and White.

Lychnis, H.P. (Chinese Catchfly).

Chalcedonica—Bright scarlet; good for borders and rock gardens; also for cut flowers. Pkt., 6d.

Mesembryanthemum, H.P.

See also Novelties.

Tricolor Mixed—Trailers, having flowers of various shades of pink, carmine and red. Excellent for rocky work, and are at their best during hot weather. Pkt., 6d.; ½oz., 2/6.

Marigolds, African, H.A. (Tagetes erecta).

Yellow Supreme—Tall double lemon yellow. Broad frilled petals. Pkt., 6d.; ½oz., 2/6; oz., 7/6.

Guinea Gold—Beautiful golden yellow double flowers with fringed petals. Plants grow to 3ft. tall, producing numerous blooms. Pkt., 6d.; ½oz., 1/9; oz., 5/6.

Lemon Ball, all Double—Petals heavily rolled, and flowers ball-like in form; very beautiful. Pkt., 6d.; ½oz., 2/9; oz., 8/6.

Orange Ball, all Double—A rich, brilliant orange. Pkt., 6d.; ½oz., 2/9; oz., 8/6.

Dixie Sunshine—Although U.S.A. has acclaimed this the leading novelty for 1936, it has not so far given a very good performance in our trials during summer months; blooms being too small to be of much value. Petals are quite distinct to other forms of African Marigold. Colour brilliant golden yellow. Pkt., 6d.; ½oz., 3/6.

Marigolds, French, H.A. (Tagetes patula).

Giant Tree (4 feet high)—Hardy and very free flowering. Good cut flower line. Pkt., 6d.; ½oz., 1/6; oz., 4/-.

Monarch Strain Mixed—The ideal type of dwarf French marigold. Flowers are fully double and compact in varying shades of orange, bronze, yellow and mahogany. Pkt., 6d.; ½oz., 1/-; oz., 3/-.

Tall Dark Brown—Double. Special florists' strain. Pkt., 6d.; ½oz., 3/-; oz., 9/-.

Tall Double Mixed—All colours. Pkt., 3d.; ½oz., 1/-.

Marigold (Tagetes signata pumila).

Little Giant—Truly a wonderful little plant for bedding or borders. Covered with hundreds of golden orange flowers for many weeks. Pkt., 6d.; ½oz., 2/-.

Matthiola

Bicornis (Evening Scented Stock)—Fragrant pink and lilac flowers, opening at night. Pkt., 3d.; ½oz., 1/-.

Mignonette, H.A.

Goliath, Red—Robust growth, spreading form; the large spikes frequently measure five inches in diameter. Pkt., 6d.; ½oz., 1/6; oz., 4/6.

Machet, Giant Flowering Select—Deliciously scented grey flowers. Pkt., 3d.; ½oz., 1/-; oz., 2/6; ½lb., 7/6.

Golden Queen—Florets golden yellow; scented. Pkt., 6d.; ½oz., 1/6.

Mimulus (Musk), Tender Pot Plants.

Tigrinus—Monkey Musk; annual; flowers tiger spotted and blotched. Pkt., 6d.



MARIGOLD (TAGETES)—LITTLE GIANT



DOUBLE HYBRIDS

Nasturtium, H.A.

See also Novelties.

Nasturtiums will grow and bloom in almost any soil but it should not be too rich for the greatest wealth of bloom.

Double Hybrids Mixed—Glorious new colours in Giant Double Sweet Scented blooms up to three inches across and ranging from pale primrose through all shades of lemon and gold to shades of scarlet, orange scarlet, rose, and deep velvety crimson, also splashed and mottled shades. The scarlet and orange scarlet shades predominate. Experience gained during last summer indicates that the new double hybrids are not suitable for Summer blooming in warm districts as very few double blooms are produced under such conditions. We therefore recommend Autumn sowing in coastal and warm districts and they may be sown after frosts in the cooler parts. Pkt., 6d.; oz., 1/-.

Scarlet Gleam—Rich dazzling orange scarlet. Double or semi-double. Sweet scented. Pkt., 6d.; oz., 1/-.

Moonbeam—Beautiful soft primrose shade—sweet scented and free flowering. Pkt., 6d.; oz., 1/6.

Golden Gleam, Double Scented—Its beautiful folds of gold are not only of fine form, but are actually scented, a delicious sweet musk-like odour. Pkt., 6d.; oz., 1/-.

Gorgeous Mixture—Dwarf; brilliant flowers. This mixture includes all of the showy varieties of dwarf Nasturtiums with both light and dark foliage. Single Pkt., 3d.; oz., 1/-.

Fordhook Favourite Mixture—A truly giant race, comprising a large variety of colours in flowers of fine size. Single pkt., 3d.; oz., 1/-.

Nemophila, H.A.

Mixed—Shade-loving plants. Pkt., 3d.; ½oz., 1/-.

Nigella, H.A. (Love-in-a-mist).

Miss Jekyll—A beautiful double cornflower blue. Pkt., 3d.; ½oz., 1/-.

Nemesia, H.A.

See also Novelties.

Large Flowered Mixed—Dainty, compact growing annuals, flowering freely in many colours—white, pale yellow, purple, blood-red, rich orange, carmine, pink, rose, red, scarlet and crimson, spotted and blotched. Pkt., 6d.; ½oz., 3/-.

Blue Gem—Dwarf compact variety suitable for bedding. Flowers are a soft azure blue. Grows 6 to 8 inches high. Pkt., 6d.; 1-16oz., 2/6; ½oz., 3/6.

PANSIES, H.A.

See also Novelties.

Sow from January to April. Plant out February to August.

The greatest care must be taken in germinating pansy seeds to keep an even germination moisture. Drainage in seed beds must be good, but seeds should never dry out after sowing or failure will result.

Jumbo Mixed—Enormous blooms on long stems. Plants very vigorous and quick growing. Pkt., 5/- and 10/-.

Super Swiss Giants (Roggli), Mixed—The world's best exhibition strain of giant Pansies. This is a new type of pansy often measuring up to 3½ ins. across, with velvety petals and a wide range of colourings and markings. It includes the richest reds, coppers, bronzes and yellows together with the rose pinks and those beautiful light blues so delightful in the pansies. The stems are very long and stiff, and the flowers hold their size right through the season. Pkt., 2/6; small pkt., 1/6; 1-16oz., 4/-; ½oz., 7/6; ¼oz., 12/6; 1oz., 40/-.

Mastoden Aces, Mixed—This is our popular special mixed Mastoden re-selected and several new colours added. For large beds for the house or for cutting, there is none to equal it. Pkt., 1/-; ½oz., 4/6; ¼oz., 7/6; 1/8oz., 13/6; 1oz., 25/-.

Bedding Pansies—Where colour schemes are desired bedding pansies in various shades give pleasing results. We have sky blue, dark blue, cardinal, apricot, pure yellow, Lord Beaconsfield—deep violet and white—and Bedding Mixed. Pkt., 6d.; ½oz., 2/6; ¼oz., 4/6.

COLLECTION BEDDING PANSIES

1 Packet each six separate Colours
for 2/6

PHLOX DRUMMONDI, H.A.

Sow from early spring to late autumn in the garden where required. A pretty effect is obtained by sowing patches of the various colours desired wherever space is available. A few seeds are sown at each spot at 9 to 12-inch spacings.

Separate Colours: Apricot, chamois-rose with a white eye; **Fordhook Crimson**; **Fordhook Lilac**, bright soft lilac with white eye; **Splendens**, rich red with small white eye; **Giant White**; **Violet**; **Ruby**; **Carnea**, rich pink with apricot centre; **Primrose**, deep primrose. Pkt., 6d.; ½oz., 2/-; oz., 6/-.

Finest Mixed—A blend of the tall annual phlox on the above list. Pkt., 6d.; ½oz., 1/6; oz., 5/-.

Starred and Fringed—A large variety of these quaint hairy looking flowers in many colours. Pkt., 6d.; ½oz., 3/-.

Gigantea, Art Shades—A giant race of this delightful summer annual. Mixed varieties. Pkt., 1/-; ½oz., 3/-; ¼oz., 5/-.

PHLOX COLLECTION

1 Packet each nine separate colours
for 3/-

Pelargonium Zonale, H.H.P.

Commonly, though incorrectly, called Geranium.

Floradale Fancy—The flower trusses of this fine variety are from 4 to 6 inches in diameter, and the individual flowers are often 1½ inches across. This strain is one of the finest obtainable, and the variation in colours is very large. Pkt., 1/-; 1-16oz., 3/-; ½oz., 5/-.

Pentstemon, H.P.

Floradale Fancy—A most beautiful mixture of this Gloxinia-like flower, producing large flower spikes of beautiful colours, both light and dark, and twice the size of the older strains. Pkt., 1/-; 1-16oz., 2/6.

Platycodon (Chinese Bell Flower).

Grandiflora Mariesi—Herbaceous perennial, thriving in semi-shade. Flowers blue or white, 2-3 inches across; bell-shaped. Pkt., 1/-.

Portulacca, H.H.A.

Double Mixed—A fine strain, with very brilliant flowers in many colours. Fine for bedding. Pkt., 1/-; ½oz., 3/-; ¼oz., 5/-.

Giant Parana—A quite distinct colour from other portulaccas. Bright bluish rose, making a most effective display through the summer. Pkt., 6d.; ½oz., 1/6.

Single Mixed—Various colours. Pkt., 3d.; ¼oz., 1/6.

Primula, H.H.A.

Malacoides—Princess Mary, deep rose. Largely used for edging or bedding in the garden, particularly in the coastal and warmer portions of New South Wales. It makes a very fine, showy bed, and does not grow too large. Pkt., 6d.; ½oz., 3/-.

PETUNIAS, H.P.

See also Novelty pages.

Best treated as annuals in warm climates. Sow in late spring for summer blooming.

Fluffy Ruffles—A fine ruffled strain of large flowered petunia in mixed colours. Pkt., 1/6.

Rosy Morn—A beautiful flower with a silvery white throat shading to rose pink on the edges. Pkt., 6d.; ½oz., 1/6; ¼oz., 2/6.

Enchantress Mixture—A mixture of all the best varieties of bedding petunia. Pkt., 3d.; ½oz., 1/6; ¼oz., 2/6.

Pink Gem—A charming new race of dwarf compact petunias. Neat plants 6 inches high, covered with deep pink flowers. Pkt., 1/-; 1-16oz., 2/-; ¼oz., 6/-.

Pepper (Capsicum), H.H.A.

Ornamental Mixed. A superb strain of small fruited Chilies for growing in pots or borders. Sow in Spring after frosts. Pkt., 1/-; ½oz., 2/6.

Pyrethrum (See Chrysanthemum).**Ranunculus (Hardy Bulb).**

Sow in March.

Giant Hybrids Mixed—A beautiful new strain of this splendid spring flowering bulb. Pkt., 6d.; ½oz., 1/6; oz., 4/6.

Rosmarinus, H.P.

Officinalis—Rosemary. Pkt., 6d.

POPPIES, H.A.

Sow in garden where required in autumn or spring.

Sweet Briar—A new poppy of the double begonia flowered shirley type. Deep rose pink. Pkt., 6d.; ½oz., 1/6.

Begonia Flowered, Mixed—Double flowers of many colours. Pkt., 3d.; ½oz., 1/-.

Shirley Mixed (Re-selected)—All who have admired the delicate beauty of the Shirley Poppy will be delighted with this re-selected strain, of the finest colours. Pkt., 3d.; ½oz., 1/-.

Double Carnation Flowered—Of dazzling richness, and in great variety of colours, white, rose, scarlet, lilac, steel blue, and mahogany. **Mixed**, Pkt. 3d.; ½oz., 1/-.

Fordhook Fairies—Beautiful double poppies. Pkt., 3d.; ½oz., 1/-.

ICELAND POPPIES

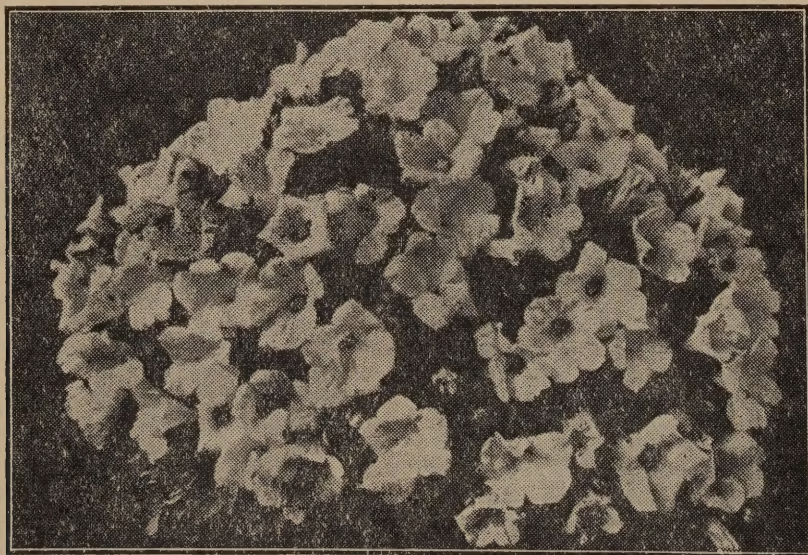
See also Novelties.

This beautiful variety of perennial poppy has proved very suitable for bedding, and cut flowers treated as an annual in our climate.

New Mammoth Sunbeam Mixed—An extra fine strain of Iceland Poppy, particularly fine for cut flowers. The long stems and large blooms are quite distinctive. Pkt., 1/-; small pkt., 6d.; ½oz., 3/-; oz., 10/-.

Selected Pink Shades—Blend of all the best shades of pink. Good for cutting. Pkt., 1/-; ½oz., 4/6.

Sunbeam Giant Orange—A fine new cut flower-growers' poppy, not only larger than ordinary, but the stems are long, and the flowers have up to eight petals giving them a double appearance. There are various shades of orange blending well together. Pkt., 1/-; small pkt., 6d.; ½oz., 3/-; oz., 10/-.



PETUNIA—PINK GEM

Salpiglossis, H.H.A. (Velvet Flower).

Emperor—Very large, petunia-shaped flowers with brilliant veinings. Many colours. Pkt., 6d.; $\frac{1}{2}$ oz., 1/3; oz., 3/6.

Salvia, H.P. (Flowering Sage).

Splendens-Bonfire—The well-known, startlingly brilliant border bush. Pkt., 6d.; $\frac{1}{2}$ oz., 3/6; $\frac{1}{4}$ oz., 6/-.

Scabiosa, H.A. and P. (Pin Cushion).

The Pin Cushion or Mourning Bride are amongst the most useful and hardy of cut flowers.

Tall Double, Separate Colours: Canary; Peach Blossom, pink; Shasta, White; Rose; Black, blackish purple; Red; Azure Fairy; Blue Cockade.

Tall Double Mixed.

Pkt., 6d.; $\frac{1}{2}$ oz., 1/-; oz., 3/-.

Caucasica—House Hybrids—Best perennial scabious.

Thrives in cooler climates. Pkt., 1/-.

SCABIOSA COLLECTION

1 Packet each of 8 separate colours for 2/6 (post paid)

Shasta Daisy (See Chrysanthemum).**Schizanthus (Butterfly Flower).**

"The poor man's Orchid."

Giant Hybrids—An exceptionally fine strain growing to 2-feet tall with a profusion of gaily coloured blooms. Pkt., 6d.; 1-16oz., 3/-.

Statice, H.A. (See Lavender).

Perezii—Rich Blue perennial. Pkt., 6d.; $\frac{1}{2}$ oz., 2/6.

Bonduelli—Yellow. Pkt., 6d.; $\frac{1}{2}$ oz., 1/-; oz., 2/6.

Sinuata New Hybrids, Mixed—Pkt., 6d.; oz., 1/6.

Sinuata—Market Growers' Blue—Excellent cut flower variety. Pkt., 6d.; oz., 1/6.

Sinuata Rosea Superba—Pink. Pkt., 6d.; oz., 1/6.

Sunflower (See Helianthus).

Double Stocks (*Matthiola Incana*)

Sow January to April. In cold mountain climates early varieties may be also sown in the early spring. Plant out in rich, well-drained soil.

We do not offer any cheap seed of this favourite flower; it is difficult enough to secure a supply of doubles from the best seeds without spending time and money on what may prove a disappointment.

LARGE FLOWERING DOUBLE TEN WEEKS.

A mixture from a collection containing blood red, bright rose, brown, red, carmine red, chamois, copper carmine, copper rose, dark blood red, dark violet, grey red, light violet, pure white, rosy white, and violet rose. Pkt., 6d.; $\frac{1}{2}$ oz., 2/-; $\frac{1}{4}$ oz., 3/6.

MAMMOTH BEAUTY OF "NICE"

These are the finest of all the stocks for cut flowers; they produce a very large percentage of double flowers, and although they will frequently flower the second year, they are best treated as annuals.

Colours: White, Rosy Lilac, Light Blue, Flesh Pink, Old Rose, Blood Red, Deep Rose, Crimson, Canary and Mixed. Pkt., 6d.; $\frac{1}{2}$ oz., 2/6; $\frac{1}{4}$ oz., 4/6; oz., 12/6.

MAMMOTH NICE COLLECTION

1 Packet each of the nine separate colours for 3/-

GIANT PERFECTION DOUBLE

A fine group, especially for florists. Very early and free blooming. Produces a high percentage of doubles.

Colours: Rose, Silvery Lilac, Canary Yellow, Blood Red, Snowdrift, Flesh, Violet and Mixed. Pkt., 6d.; $\frac{1}{2}$ oz., 2/6; $\frac{1}{4}$ oz., 4/6; oz., 15/-.

GIANT PERFECTION COLLECTION

1 Packet each of the above seven separate colours for 2/6

DOUBLE GIANT IMPERIAL

See also Novelties.

Also known as Improved Bismarck. Of branching habit, growing 24 to 30 inches tall. Produces a high percentage of doubles.

Colours: Golden Rose, Antique Copper, Royal Purple, Shasta (white), Buttercup, Chamois Rose, Mixed. Pkt., 1/-; $\frac{1}{2}$ oz., 3/6; $\frac{1}{4}$ oz., 6/-; oz., 20/-.

GIANT IMPERIAL COLLECTION

1 Packet of each six separate colours for 4/6

BROMPTON

Extra Choice Mixed—One of the best varieties for flowering for several years in succession. Pkt., 6d.; $\frac{1}{2}$ oz., 3/6; $\frac{1}{4}$ oz., 6/-.

Sweet Peas

EARLY OR WINTER FLOWERING SPENCERS

For best results sow from January to June and have blooms throughout Winter and Spring

1937 Novelties.

Pkt., 1/6; ½oz., 3/-; each variety.

From December 1st, 1937—Pkt., 1/-; ½oz., 2/-; oz., 5/-.

Raiser's descriptions.

Star—Sparkling rose pink on white ground, with a delightful salmon shading. Large blooms in fours on long stout stems. Popular colour for cut flower trade and stems retain their length later in the season than many other varieties.

Mariner—Clear marine blue with practically no mauve tint at any stage. Vigorous grower, producing four large blooms on long stout stems.

Emblem—Long stems bearing 3 or 4 bright salmon cream pink flowers.

Sonnet—A delicate blush pink produced on long stout stems—vigorous growth. Really beautiful when bunched.

Florist Blue—Clear pure blue flowers on extra long stems—very vigorous growth. Many fours.

Florist Rose—Exceptionally long stemmed variety. Immense blooms four to a stem—pure rose pink, slightly deeper than Annie Laurie. Very free and continuous bloomer.

Recent Introductions

Pkt., 1/-; ½oz., 2/-; oz., 5/- each variety.
From December 1st, 1937, same price as General List.

Shirley Temple—Beautiful shade of rose pink, large blooms. Long strong stems.

Boon—Deep salmon pink on light cream ground. Frilled stems long, usually fours.

Chime—New and distinct shade of light salmon pink. Waved flowers on long stems.

Redwood—Bright rich crimson—large flowers on stout stems.

Triumph—Soft lilac mauve—without purple or blue markings. Free flowering.

General List

Pkt., 6d.; ½oz., 1/-; oz., 3/-; 4oz., 8/6; each variety.

Attraction—Clear salmon-begonia pink on light cream ground. Very similar to Springsong, introduced a few years ago, but larger, longer in stem, and better spaced blooms.

Miss Annie Laurie—The richest, pure, rose pink Sweet Pea ever introduced. A marvel for cutting, having long stems, and it is a continuous bloomer.

American Beauty—The raiser's description is:—"The strongest-growing, long-stemmed, largest Sweet Pea ever introduced." A very fine, rich crimson variety.

Snowstorm—This is by far the finest of all white winter flowering varieties. The flowers are extra large and of fine form.

Miss Louise Gude—A charming shell-pink.

Orange King—The richest and deepest orange-coloured winter sweet pea introduced.

Superior Pink—Beautiful rose pink, slightly flushed with salmon and without blue tints.

Vulcan—Dazzling scarlet cerise. Popular variety. The whole flower is suffused orange.

Chevalier—A true rose colour with just a suspicion of yellow toward the base.

Burpee's Lavender—Combination of length of stem, size of flower, purity of colour, and vigour makes this great for cutting.

Bluebird—This is a charming shade of blue, large and exquisitely waved. Blooms continuously.

Glitters—Glitters and scintillates, with a fire-like sheen radiating over the flowers. The standard is a bright, fiery, orange scarlet.

Gleam—Large flowers of geranium pink, with an effusion of cherry pink.

Oriental—Clear, deep cream blooms on long stems, many fours. Many standards are duplex, so that smaller number necessary to make a bunch.

Flamingo—The broad and well-waved standard is light orange with a suffusion of bright salmon. The wings are orange-pink.

BEST 15 COLLECTION

1 packet of each of the above for 5/-,
½oz. of each of the above for 20/-.

Sweet Peas

GENERAL LIST (Continued)

Monterey—Unusually large flower of perfect contour. Clear geranium pink, flushed salmon. Vigorous grower. Long sturdy stems.

Success—Deep rose pink but much stronger growing than most others in this colour class. Long stout stems.

Memory—A clear rosy lavender which keeps its colour well. Blends well with pink shades. Good stems.

Peachblow—An exquisite new ruffled sweet pea. Clear rose pink on cream ground; flowers are large, well formed and beautifully frilled.

Lavanda—Extra large blooms, perfectly spaced on long, strong stems. A vigorous grower, and the pure clear lavender blooms hold a uniform colour from the time buds open until full bloom.

Exposition Pink—A gorgeous rich pink named in honour of "A Century of Progress", Exposition in Chicago. The large waved blooms are well spaced on long, stout stems. Vigorous grower and very prolific. A marvel under artificial light.

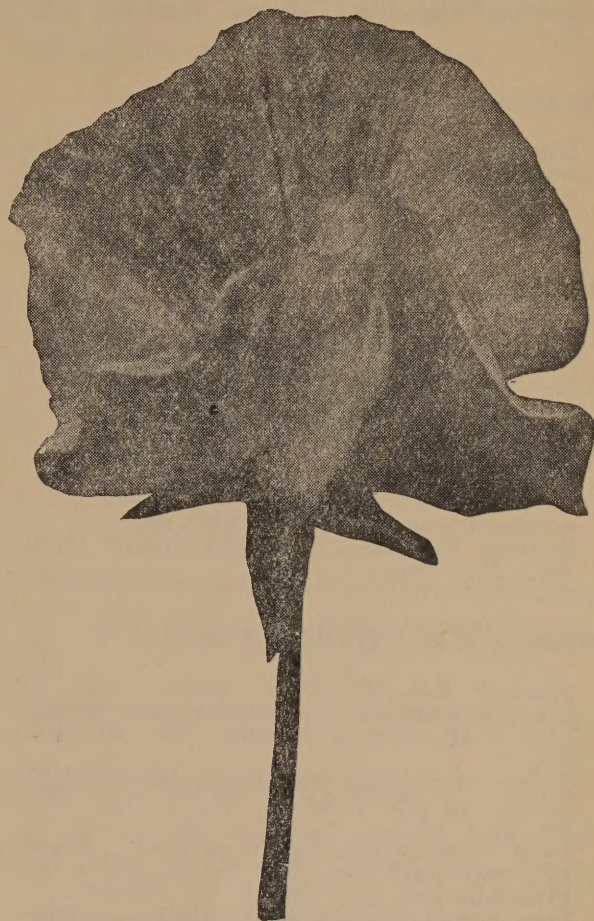
Marine—Largest true blue introduced. Standard over 2½ inches; good stems. Cert. of merit.

Giant Rose—Immense rose-coloured flowers, as many as five on a stem.

Grenadier—Large flowers of rich poppy scarlet; long stems.

Red Bird—Uniform bright crimson red with velvety sheen.

Sunray—Soft orange cerise on cream ground; recommended.



Early Flowering Mixtures

Boronia Special, Mixed—An extra choice mixture of the best of our novelties and recent introductions. Packets, 1/-; oz., 5/-.

Sunrise Mixed—A good mixture of the best American seeds. Pkt., 6d.; oz., 2/6; ¼lb., 7/6.

Royal Show, Mixed—Without doubt the best for the money. Specially made up by us from named varieties. Pkt., 3d.; oz., 2/-; ¼lb., 6/-.

SWEET PEA CULTURAL LEAFLET SUPPLIED ON REQUEST

LATE FLOWERING SPENCERS

May be sown in Autumn for Spring and Summer blooming in the mountains and cooler parts of Australia.

Will produce magnificent flowers right up to Christmas from Spring planting. From later planting they will keep a succession until late Autumn.

In coastal districts sow in March for Spring blooms.

Pinkie, deep pink. Large blooms, long stems;

Youth, beautiful picotee on white; **Fiery Cross**

Improved, deep cherry red, suffused orange; **King White**, remarkable for the glistening purity of its whiteness and perfect finish of its mammoth size flowers; **Picture**, a charming combination of cream and pink shades with a deeper flush on the wings. Large, well-rounded, and beautifully waved blooms; **Mrs. Tom Jones**, a bright delphinium blue, with flowers of large size and substance; **Powerscourt**, a pure lavender with flowers of mammoth size, well placed on long stems; **Royal Scot**, brilliant and lustrous orange-scarlet flowers with a deep cerise sheen; **Charity**, rich brilliant crimson; **Ascot**, shell pink; **Ruffled Primrose**; **Fluffy Ruffles**, cream pink. Pkt., 6d.; oz., 2/- each variety.

Burpee Blend

Late flowering Spencers. A very fine mixture of all the best sweet peas of this type. There are hundreds of varieties in the collection from which the mixture is made.

6d. per packet; oz., 1/-.

Late Flowering Collection

1 Packet of each of 12 separate colours for 4/-.

Sweet William, H.P. (Dianthus Barbatus)

The old-fashioned Sweet Williams should be in every garden, and particularly in the cooler districts, where they are very hardy. They produce the greatest variety of colour imaginable, and keep on flowering for a long time.

Double Mixed—Many colours. Pkt., 6d.; $\frac{1}{2}$ oz., 2/.

Thalictrum (Herb. P.) 6d.

Dipterocarpum (Lavender shower bush)—Herbaceous perennial shrub, with ornamental leaves and lavender or purple flowers on long stems. It makes a good showy verandah plant.

Tithonia

Speciosa (Mexican Sunflower), grows 6 to 8 feet tall with a mass of bright orange-red blooms with cone-like centres. Pkt., 6d.

Torenia, T.A.

Beautiful annuals desirable as pot plants or for hanging baskets. A fine border plant.

Fourneiri Grandiflora—Dark blue, yellow throat. Pkt., 1/; 1-16oz., 2/.

Verbena, H.P. (Trailing Plant)

Spectrum Red—Magnificent, intense bright red flowers of enormous size, individual florets being as large as $1\frac{1}{2}$ inches in diameter. Pkt., 6d.; $\frac{1}{2}$ oz., 2/.

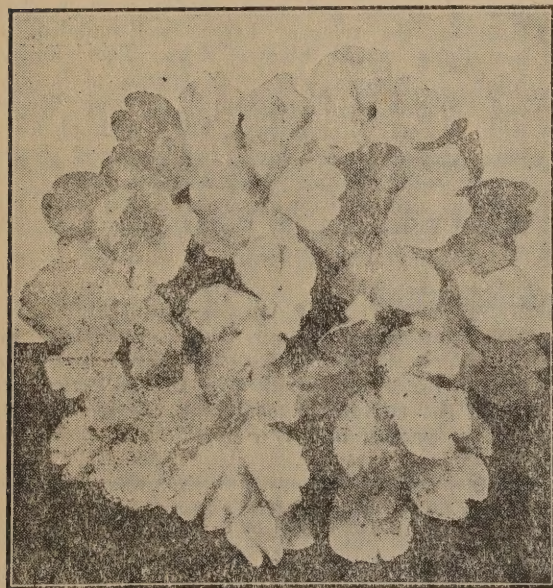
Beauty of Oxford Hybrids—A beautiful giant hybrid rose pink Verbena. Flowers large. Pkt., 6d.; $\frac{1}{2}$ oz., 2/.

Large Flowered (Hybrida Grandiflora). **Royale**, rich deep royal blue, large creamy yellow eye. Pkt., 6d.; $\frac{1}{2}$ oz., 2/.

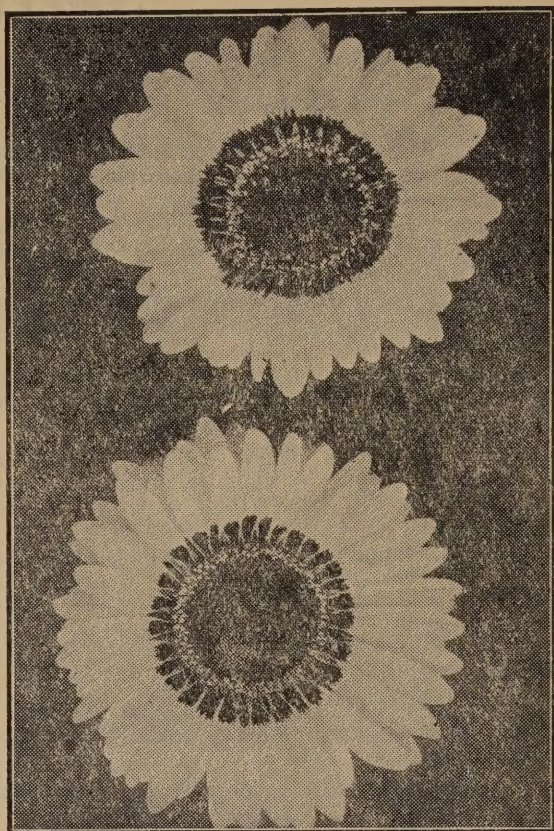
Etna, intense geranium red, small creamy yellow eye. Pkt., 6d.; $\frac{1}{2}$ oz., 2/.

Lavender Glory, pure lavender—Pkt., 6d.; $\frac{1}{2}$ oz., 2/.

Giant Mixed—Pkt., 6d.; $\frac{1}{2}$ oz., 1/6; $\frac{1}{2}$ oz., 2/6.



GIANT VERBENA



VENIDIUM FASTUOSUM HYBRIDS

VERBENA COLLECTION

1 Packet of each of 5 separate colours, 2/.

Viola, H.A.

The old-fashioned Heartsease or Viola has come back into favour again, it makes a fine winter flowering bedding or border plant and does well in summer in the highlands.

Apricot—Pkt., 1/; 1-16oz., 4/.

Lutea Splenders—Pure yellow, free flowering. Pkt., 6d., 1-8 oz., 2/6; $\frac{1}{2}$ oz., 4/6.

Blue Perfection—Mid Blue, early and free flowering. Pkt., 6d.; $\frac{1}{2}$ oz., 3/6; $\frac{1}{2}$ oz., 6/6.

Choice Mixed—Pkt., 6d.; $\frac{1}{2}$ oz., 2/6, $\frac{1}{2}$ oz., 4/6.

Venidium.

Fastuosum-Monarch of the Veldt, Hybrids Mixed.

We are now able to offer mixed colours, which include pastel shades, buff, lemon and light orange. Each petal has a dark blotch at the base. Foliage grey. Free blooming plants, 2 to 3 feet high. Annual. Pkt., 1/.

Wallflower, H.A.

Double Wonder Mixed—Annual, blooms 5 months from sowing. Pkt., 6d.; $\frac{1}{2}$ oz., 2/.

WILD GARDEN MIXTURE

From a mixture of over 200 varieties of flowers. Suitable for children's gardens and waste corners.

Pkt., 6d.; oz., 1/9; 4oz., 5/.

Zinnia, H.H.A.

Sow in spring after all frost danger is over and soil has commenced to warm up. Sowing may be continued up to December and January in mild climates. Sow either in the garden where required or in seed beds or boxes for transplanting.

Giant Dahlia Flowered

Flowers of immense size, born on good sturdy stems. Plants make a compact bush 2ft. tall. A decided improvement on old types of Zinnia.

Colours: Scarlet Flame (New), Exquisite rose; Dream, deep lavender; Canary Bird, primrose; Polar Bear, white; Crimson Monarch; Oriole, golden orange, and Illumination, deep rose. Pkt., 6d.; $\frac{1}{4}$ oz., 2/-; oz., 6/-.

Special Mixed—A high grade mixture for home gardeners and seedling nurserymen. Pkt., 6d.; $\frac{1}{4}$ oz., 1/6; oz., 4/6; 4oz., 12/6.

Dahlia Flowered Collection

6d. pkt. of each 8 colours for 3/-.

Giants of California

A magnificent strain of Zinnias, having large symmetrical flowers. A very vigorous type, bushes growing 3 to 4 feet tall and 2 to 3 feet in diameter. **Colours:** Enchantress (Rose Pink)—Scarlet Gem, Rose Queen, Orange King, Purity-white, Golden Queen; Brightness, deep rose, and Daffodil. Pkt., 6d.; $\frac{1}{4}$ oz., 1/9; oz., 5/-.

Mixed—A mixture of the best shades. Pkt., 6d.; $\frac{1}{4}$ oz., 1/6; oz., 4/6; 4oz., 12/6.

Giants of California Collection

1 packet each of above 7 separate colours for 2/6.

Fantasy Mixed

A very graceful type of new Zinnias. Medium sized blooms with prettily quilled petals. Good mixture of colours. Pkt., 6d.; $\frac{1}{4}$ oz., 1/6; oz., 4/6.

Scabious Flowered

Mixed—Charming blooms with pincushion like centres surrounded by an outer row of broad ray petals. Includes shades of pink, yellow, orange, scarlet and white. Type varies a little under adverse weather conditions. Pkt., 6d.; $\frac{1}{4}$ oz., 1/6; oz., 4/6.

Cut and Come Again

A new type for cut flowers. The more they are cut the more they bloom.

Bright Scarlet, Pinkie, Canary, Golden Orange and Carmine Red. Pkt., 6d.; $\frac{1}{4}$ oz., 1/-; oz., 3/-.

Picotee Delight—Salmon Rose. Petals beautifully curled and picotee-edged. Pkt., 6d.; $\frac{1}{4}$ oz., 1/6; oz., 4/6.

Mixed—An excellent blend of these fine cutting varieties. Pkt., 6d.; $\frac{1}{4}$ oz., 1/-; oz., 3/-.

CUT AND COME AGAIN COLLECTION

One 6d. pkt. of each of 6 varieties for 2/-.

Double Pompom, or Lilliput

One of the very best types for bedding or for cutting for the house. The new colours now available are delightful grown separately. The colours we offer are scarlet gem, lilac gem, Canary, White Gem, Rosebud, Purple Gem, golden gem, Crimson gem and special mixed. Each Pkt., 6d.; $\frac{1}{4}$ oz., 1/6; oz., 4/6.

POMPOM OR LILLIPUT COLLECTION

One 6d. Packet of each of 8 separate colours for 3/-.

Mexican

Double Mixed—This is quite a new race of small Zinnias of great beauty. For bedding and bordering purposes they are unsurpassed. While sufficiently of the form of the old Zinnias to identify them, they are dwarf, and quite distinct from them and they vary in colour and markings, being mostly yellow and orange, but many having quite distinct purple markings. Pkt., 6d.; $\frac{1}{4}$ oz., 2/-.

Seed of Climbing Plants

Aristolochia Elegans

Calico Flower—Sometimes called Dutchman's Pipe. Sow in early summer. Pkt., 6d.

Boston Ivy (Ampelopsis Veitchii)—H.P.

The Well-known deciduous vine which enlivens the autumn landscape with its gay coloured leaves. Pkt., 6d.

Cardinal Climber (Ipomea cardinalis), H.A.

The vines grow rampantly, and are always covered with a wealth of the beautiful blossoms; as fast as one flower dies, there is another to take its place. Seed, Pkt. 6d.

Canary Bird Creeper, H.H.A.

A handsome climber with handsomely fringed yellow flowers and delicate foliage. Pkt. 6d.

Clematis Aristata, H.P.

Dainty White flowers. Pkt., 1/-.

Cobaea Scandens, H.P.

A rapid growing climber, with large bell-shaped flowers of a deep purple colour. Pkt. 6d.

Dolichos, H.P.

Lignosus—About the most rampant perennial climber and freest bloomer there is; useful for covering sheds. Pink, White. Pkt., 6d.

Eccremocarpus, H.P.

A very fast, free-flowering creeper, graceful and beautiful. Pkt., 6d.

Kudzu Vine, H.P., 6d.

Grows to a great length; both useful and ornamental.

Lathyrus Latifolius

Perennial Pea. Live year after year, bearing beautiful clusters of flowers; mixed. Pkt. 6d.

Lathyrus Pubescens

A beautiful blue perennial pea. Free climber. Pkt. 1/-.

Mandevillea, H.P.

A hardy climber, with large snow-white jessamine like flowers, deliciously scented. Pkt., 6d.

Mediola Asparagoides, 6d.

Smilax—A very graceful climber, the foliage useful for decorating. Pkt., 6d.

Mina Lobata

A truly gorgeous flowering annual vine; flowers cream and red. Pkt., 6d.

Moonflower (Calonyction aculeatum)

Immense sky-blue flowers cover the plant from top to bottom in a very short time from planting. Perennial 6d.

Morning Glory, H.A. (Ipomea purpurea)

Tall Mixed—Shades of light blue, purple, pink and variegated. Packet 6d.

Rose Marie—Semi-Double, delicate rose pink. Pkt., 6d.

Morning Glory, H.A. (Ipomea hederacea)

Japanese Frilled and Fancy Mixed. Very quick growing. Pkt. 6d.

Snail Creeper, T.P.

A free growing, hardy useful vine; covers fences with a leafy growth, and curious snail-like flowers. Pkt. 1/-.

Tacsonia, H.P.

Van Volxemi—Crimson scarlet blooms resembling passion flowers. Pkt., 1/-.

Thunbergia Alata, H.P.

Black-Eyed Susan—Mixed colours, white, yellow and buff, with black centres. Pkt. 6d.

Mixed Climbers

A generous packet, containing a good assortment of beautiful climbers. Pkt., 6d.

Some Good Cut Flower Lines

For Spring and Early Summer Sowing:

Antirrhinum—Giant large flowering and Majestic.

Asters—Crego, Improved Californian Giant and American Beauty.

Delphinium—Gold Medal and Chinensis types.

Gladiolus—Fordhook Hybrids.

Marigold—African.

Scabious—Large double varieties.

Zinnia—Californian Giants, Cut and Come Again, Pompones, etc.

For Late Summer and Autumn Sowing:

Antirrhinum. **Delphinium.**

Godetia—Tall Double.

Larkspur—Giant Delphinium types.

Lupin—Pearl varieties.

Iceland Poppies—Sunbeam Giant Orange and Sunbeam Giant Mixed.

Stocks—Nice, Giant Perfection and Giant Imperial.

Sweet Peas—Early flowering varieties.

Calendula. **Candytuft.** **Centaurea.**

Clarkia. **Marigold**—French. **Mignonette.**

Where bulk prices are not given in catalogue, ask for special quote.

Native Plant Seeds

Sow in well drained beds of sandy loam and keep shaded with brush or hessian until established. Soak Acacia seeds overnight in hot water before sowing to soften hard seed coat.

Most varieties listed are stocked regularly each season, but some have to be collected as required.

Acacia

Full List of Acacia on request.

Accola—15ft.—Very ornamental and shapely. Pkt., 6d.; oz., 3/6.

Buxifolia (Box Leaved)—10ft. Very suitable for tall hedges. Hardy. Pkt., 6d.; oz., 3/6.

Dealbata (Silver Wattle)—Similar to black wattle in growth, but young foliage has an ashy hue. Pkt., 6d.; oz., 1/6.

Discolor—15ft.—Sunshine Wattle. Pkt., 6d.; oz., 2/6.

Elata—60 to 80 feet—Cedar Wattle, very handsome tree in flower and foliage. Pkt., 6d.; oz., 3/6.

Elongata—10ft.—Handsomeness shrub. Pkt., 6d.; oz., 3/6.

Gladiformis—Does well in subtropical climates. Pkt., 1/6; oz., 5/6.

Iteaphylla—20ft.—Very symmetrical tree from Kangaroo Is. Hardy. Pkt., 6d.; oz., 5/6.

Kettlewellii—10ft.—Rare shrub, exceptionally hardy, growing on rough mountain-sides at 2,000 ft. in N.S.W. Recommended. Pkt., 1/6; oz., 6/6.

Leprosa—8ft.—Hanging blossoms. Pkt., 6d.; oz., 3/6.

Obtusata—6 to 8 ft.—A shrub of great possibilities, producing a mass of bloom in the middle of winter in mountain districts of N.S.W. Recommended for indoor work. Pkt., 6d.; oz., 2/6.

Pubescens—12ft.—One of the most graceful varieties. Unexcelled for indoor work. Seed scarce. Packets only, 2/6 and 5/6.

Rubida—8-10 ft. Red Leaved Wattle. Found growing on rocky hillsides at high altitudes in N.S.W. Pkt., 6d.; oz., 3/6.

Angophora

Lanceolata—100ft.—Good shade tree. Pkt., 6d.; oz., 3/6.

Anigozanthus

Manglesii—Kangaroo Paw—Small plant with handsome velvety green and red flowers. Pkt., 1/6.

Araucaria (February)

Bidwilli—150 ft. Queensland Bunya Bunya, 10 seeds 1/6, post paid in Australia; 100 seeds 6/6; 1000 seeds 50/6, freight extra.

Boronia

Megastigma—See flower seeds.

Brachychiton

Acerifolius—50ft.—Flame Tree. Pkt., 6d.; oz., 3/6.

Diversifolius—60ft.—Kurrajong. Pkt., 6d.; oz., 2/6.

Callistemon

Lanceolatus—8ft.—Crimson Bottle Brush. Pkt., 6d.; oz., 3/6.

Ceratopetalum

Gummiferum—30ft.—N.S.W. Christmas Bush. Excellent for garden specimens or tall hedges. Pkt., 1/6; oz., 5/6.

Callitris

Muelleri—35ft.—Mueller Pine. Pkt., 6d.; oz., 2/6.

Calcarata—80ft.—Black Murray Pine. Pkt., 6d.; oz., 2/6.

Robusta—100ft.—Western White Pine. Pkt., 6d.; oz., 2/6.

Cupressiformis—40ft.—Very ornamental. Pkt., 6d.; oz., 2/6.

Casuarina (Australian Oaks)

Several varieties. Pkt., 6d.; oz., 3/6 each variety.

Eleocarpus

Cyaneus—30ft.—Blueberry Ash or Lily of the Valley Tree. Extremely ornamental and will stand close cutting for hedge purposes. Pkt., 6d.; oz., 2/6.

Eucalyptus

We can supply over 60 varieties of Australian gum trees. Following are most popular:

Corynocalyx—100ft.—Sugar Gum. Planted for breakwinds and timber. Pkt., 6d.; oz., 2/6.

Sideroxylon—120ft.—Ironbark. Timber of great strength. Pkt., 6d.; oz., 3/6.

Large Flowered Eucalyptus including *E. ficifolia* (Scarlet), *E. calophylla rosea* (Rose) and *E. Leucoxydon rosea*, 1/6 to 3/6 pkt. each variety. Not supplied in mixture.

Grevillea

Robusta—60ft.—Silky Oak. Pkt., 6d.; oz., 4/6. Other Varieties also available from 1/6 packet.

Kennedya

Monophylla—A native trailer with sarsaparilla-like leaves and blue flowers. Perennial and hardy. Pkt., 6d.

Rubicunda—A red flowering variety. Pkt., 6d.

Melaleuca

Flowering Tea Trees from 1/6 pkt. each variety.

Macadamia

Ternifolia—25ft.—The Australian Nut. The world's finest nut, useful and ornamental. Hand picked selected seeds. 1 lb., 1/6, post paid; 1 lb., 2/6; 100 lbs., 1/6 lb. Freight extra. **Integrifolia**—Price on application.

Macrozamia

Spiralis—Burrawang Palm. One of the most ornamental Cycads. 10 seeds 1/6, 100 seeds 15/6, post paid.

Sterculia

See *Brachychiton*.

Syncarpia

Laurifolia—200ft.—Turpentine tree. Pkt., 6d.; oz., 3/6.

Tecoma (Wonga Vine)

Native creeper. 6d.

Telopea

Speciosissima—10ft.—N.S.W. Waratah. Glorious shrub for specimens of group planting. Pkt., 1/6; oz., 5/6.

Tristania (Lophostemon)

Conferta—150ft.—Brush Box. Shade and shelter tree. Pkt., 6d.; oz., 3/6.

Flowering Bulbs

All Bulbs post paid at prices quoted unless otherwise stated.

AMARYLLIS (Jan. to May). Post Extra.
Belladonna Lily—Pink, 6d. each, 5/- doz.

ANEMONE (Feb. to April)
Rumsey's Choicest Mixed—A high-grade mixture of extra select single and double types and colours, including the best of the St. Brigid type. 1/- doz., 7/6 100.

BABIANA (Feb. to May)
Finest Mixed—1/6 doz., 9/- 100.

FREESIA (Feb. to May)
Refracta Alba—White choice bulbs. Large size, 1/- doz., 7/6 100.
Rainbow Hybrids—Many glorious colours. 3 for 9d.; 2/- doz.; 15/- 100.

GLORIOSA SUPERBA (March to Aug.)
The Climbing Glory Lily, orange red flowers, 2/- each.

HIPPEASTRUM (Dec. to Mar.)
Hybrids Mixed—Assorted shades, 1/6 each; 15/- doz.; freight extra.

HYACINTH (Feb. to May)
Mixed Single and Double, all shades. Great for growing in bowls in the house. 9d. each, 7/6 doz.

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Mixed Dutch—Resembling Spanish Iris, but blooms are much larger and plants are hardier. 3 for 1/-; 3/- doz.

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Choicest mixture of all shades. 1/- doz.; 7/6 100.

JONQUIL—See Narcissus.

LACHENALIA (Feb. to May). Leopard Lily.
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Sulphureum—Sulphur Yellow fading to White, Purple mid ribs. 4/- each.
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Tigrinum (Tiger Lily)—Single, 1/- each, 10/- doz. Double, 1/9 each, 18/- doz.

MUSCARI—Grape Hyacinth. (Feb. to May).
Conicum—Dark Blue. 1/6 doz., 10/- 100.

NARCISSUS (Jan. to May). Postage Extra.
Daffodils, Mixed—Including all types. 3 for 6d.; 1/- doz.; 7/- 100.
Jonquilla Campenelle, Single—Bright Yellow, fragrant. 1/6 doz.

Tazetta—Commonly called Jonquils or Polyanthus
Narcissus. Grande Monarque—Large white prim-rose cup. Paper White—Pure White. Soleil D'Or—Yellow, 1/6 doz.; 10/- 100.

RANUNCULUS (Feb. to May)

Rumsey's Special Mixed—Wonderful assortment of colour. 1/- doz.; 7/6 100.

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Giant Flowered—Produces white drooping bells. 3 for 6d.; 1/6 doz.; 10/- 100.

SPARAXIS (March to May)

Choice Mixed—1/- doz.; 7/- 100.

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Pure White—Fragrant, Single, or Double, small clumps, 1/- each; 7/6 doz. Post paid.

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Darwin Mixed—The best type. 6d. each; 4/6 doz.

WATSONIAS (Feb. to May)

Hobart, beautiful Pink shade. Sydney, Mauve. Melbourne, Salmon Pink. Adelaide, Orange Scarlet. Brisbane, Orange Salmon. O'Brieni Alba, White. 6d. each; 5/- doz.

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Scarborough Lily—Rich orange scarlet. 1/6 each, 16/- doz.

PEAT MOSS

For growing bulbs in bowls, 1lb. 6d.; 3lbs., 1/3; 5lbs., 2/-; 10lbs., 3/-; freight or postage extra.

GLADIOLUS (June to Sept.)

LARGE FLOWERING

Separate named varieties from 9d. each, 7/6 doz., to 1/6 each, 15/- dozen, depending on variety. Mixed unnamed kinds, 4/6 doz.; 30/- 100.

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No special colours can be supplied, as all are grown in mixture.

Remarkably early flowering strain. In size between the large flowering kinds and Gladiolus primulinus.

The flowers are of every colour, and every shade of colour, from white to deep chocolate—almost black, light heliotrope to deep purple, flesh pink to deepest red, creamy white to sulphur yellow, dainty salmon pink and terracotta with yellow, splashes or stripes in the throat.

If the spikes are cut just as the first bloom is opening all the buds will open and the flower will keep, in water, for a week.

3/6 doz.; 7/- for 25; 20/- per 100.

Seedlings

We always advise gardeners to grow their own seedlings, as it is generally more satisfactory to have plants on hand so as to take advantage of favourable planting weather.

Because of risk of loss in transit and unsatisfactory condition in which tender vegetable and flower seedlings frequently arrive at their destination, we prefer not to send these to country growers.

For those who wish to take the risk we usually have available in season plants of the hardier vegetables, such as cabbage, cauliflower, spinach beet and tomatoes, and we shall always be pleased to quote for them when available.

Raising Seedlings.—During late autumn, winter or spring pots or boxes generally give good results, but during the warmer part of the year we have found that it is much easier to keep an even moisture when a seed bed is used, as pots or boxes dry out very readily.

If a glasshouse or proper frame is not available, a rough frame may be made by boarding up the edges of a sheltered bed. This can then be covered with a hessian blind, which may be rolled up during favourable weather.

Select a light friable soil containing about two-thirds good loam and one-third leaf mould, to which add a good sprinkling of sharp sand and sieve through quarter-inch mesh. Make sure drainage is good either in boxes or seed beds (these can be banked up for better drainage).

Soil at sowing time should be quite moist, but never wet, and make sure surface is level.

Seed should be scattered lightly and evenly over the surface or in drills, and covered with very fine soil. Pots or boxes may be covered with a sheet of glass and then shaded with brown paper until seeds germinate, when paper should be removed and glass lifted to admit air. Water sparingly and from the bottom of the pot where possible. When seedlings are large enough to handle, prick off into boxes or beds of good soil, spacing the plants 1 to 3 inches apart. If sown thinly in drills in seed beds good strong plants may be obtained by thinning to save double handling.

Many flowering plants will do better sown in the garden where they are required to grow. Most of these are ones which produce seeds freely, and therefore being cheaper in price, may be sown freely to ensure an even stand. Soil should be in a nice moist condition but not wet. After breaking up with a spade or fork it should be well raked to produce a compact fine seed bed.

Seeds may be sown in shallow drills or in groups of 4 or 5 seeds six to twelve inches apart according to variety. Cover seed lightly about $\frac{1}{8}$ -inch for fine seeds, slightly deeper for larger seeds. Firm soil over seeds and mulch lightly with some well rotted manure, rotted tan-bark or sieved compost. If weather is dry, water when necessary. When plants are about 2 inches high, thin out to desired spaces and water well in case any roots have been disturbed during thinning operations.

We have found finely powdered Peat Moss one of the best materials for covering seeds or mulching seed beds. The number of plants lost due to "damping off" diseases seems to be less than when soil or manure is used.

NURSERY STOCK

All Nursery stock is freight or postage extra.

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Full descriptive list posted on request.

Apples, Peaches and other summer Fruits, 1/6 each; 5 or more, at 1/3 each.

Citrus Trees: Oranges, Lemons, Mandarins, etc., 1/9 each; 5 or more, at 1/6 each.

Mulberry: English, 3/6 each; others, 2/6 each.

Guavas and Loquats: 2/- each.

Loganberry : 1/- each.

Grape Vines: 1/- each; 3 for 2/6; 12 for 8/-.

Olives: Grafted varieties, 2/6 each; 5 or more, 2/3 each.

ROSES

All of best varieties: 1/6 each, 15/- dozen, except novelties and recent introductions.

Rose list posted free on request.

TREES AND SHRUBS

As these must be selected to suit situation and district, we shall welcome enquiries from those wishing to plant. It will help us if particulars such as the following are submitted: A rough sketch showing points of compass, measurements, existing trees and buildings or any other permanent features; also whether flowering or ornamental, Evergreen or Deciduous subjects are preferred. Where extensive plantings are to be made, some idea of architectural design or photograph of buildings should be given.

Trees and Shrubs in small pots average in price about 2/- each. However, more advanced specimens are available of many lines for those who wish to make a quick show. These may range in price from 3/6 to 12/6 according to age and variety. If advanced plants are desired it should be specially mentioned.

DAHLIAS AND CHRYSANTHEMUMS

Most popular varieties are 1/- each, 10/- dozen. We shall be pleased to quote your requirements.

Strawberry Plants

APRIL TO SEPTEMBER

All varieties perfect flowers except where mentioned otherwise.

We would advise our clients in all cases to choose two or more varieties of strawberry when planting, for the sake of pollination. Some sorts are naturally self-fertile, while most sorts set their fruit better when another variety is grown near them.

Our packing is so designed that we send plants safely to Africa and the Pacific Islands, or to any part of Australia or New Zealand.

* * * Asterisks following variety name indicates degree of resistance to "leaf scorch," a very troublesome disease in coastal districts. These indications are based on our experience at Dundas and may vary under different conditions.

PRICES (Freight or Postage Extra)

1/- doz.; 6 doz. assorted varieties, 5/6; 25 one variety, 2/-; 25 each two or more varieties, 6/- 100; 50 each 1 or more varieties, 5/- 100. Special quotes for 1,000 lots.

Allow extra for postage and packing. 6d. doz, 1/- for 25, 1/6 100 in N.S.W.;

1/- 100 extra to other States and Irrigation Areas.

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This has also been known as "Premier." It is long conic in shape, fairly firm with red flesh, sub-acid, of good quality. The plants make runners freely. The foliage is very vigorous and healthy. Most suitable for home use and local markets.

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This is a strawberry for a special purpose; it is so hardy that in the milder parts along the coast it puts on marketable crops right through the winter, and in the cooler parts is the first to bear in spring. It is very prolific, but should not be relied upon for late fruiting, as the berries are tender in hot weather. A good polliniser for Fendalcino.

Mason's Immense

A locally raised variety which has given promise as an early polliniser for Fendalcino on the lighter soils of the County of Cumberland.

Fendalcino * *

The most popular market berry. Its beautiful form, large size and, above all, splendid flavour, make it also a good home garden berry. It is not, however, self fertile, and must be grown with another variety in at least every third row. Under this method it is very prolific.

French's * * *

A vigorous growing variety producing fair crop of medium quality fruit. Its main value is in its disease resistance.

Melba *

A popular favourite in southern states and up-land areas.

Illawarra *

A locally raised berry bearing very prolific crops of large red berries. The plants are sturdy and stand hot weather well. If plants are put out late a good autumn crop may be secured.

Creswell's Seedling

The standard market berry for coastal planting for many years. Hardy.

Other Varieties Also Available

We have small quantities for trial of the following: Boronia No. 1; Boronia No. 2; Crimson King; Brandywine; Douglas Special (Wilkinson or Vonette).

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As we are growing so many varieties of strawberry, it is not possible within the limits of a catalogue to describe them all. We would advise all our customers who care to know more about the different varieties of strawberry and their cultivation to obtain "The Australian Book of Berries," by Herbert J. Rumsey, which may be obtained, post free, for 1/1.

Herbaceous and Perennial

Ornamental and Flowering Plants

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Agapanthus

Blue and White. 1/- each.

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Autumn, in pots. 1/- each.

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Fern-leaved, useful plants for decorative purposes.

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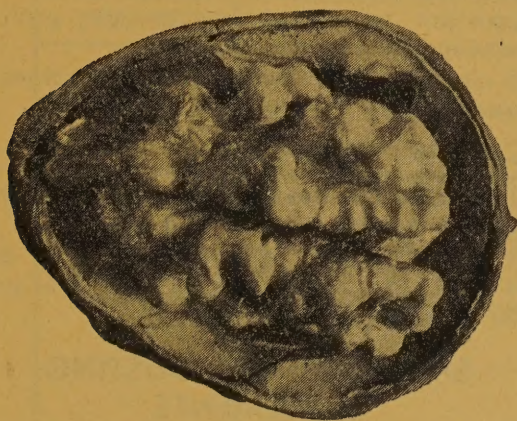
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The new budded nuts come into bearing in from one to six years, and in moist localities subject to bacterial blight, resistant varieties may be planted.

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For control of diseases and insect pests.
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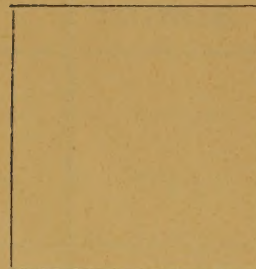
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